

Steven Castrechino

112 Meadowdale Dr. , Rochester, NY 14624-2812

December 21, 2006 1:31 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Subject: Stop Fake TV News in New York

Dear Federal Communications Commission,

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The FCC must investigate this abuse in New York, clarify disclosure requirements and penalize all stations that air fake news.

Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Steven Castrechino
112 Meadowdale Dr.
Rochester, NY 14624-2812

Steven Fields

1122 Ellicott University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742

November 16, 2006 12:40 PM

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i can understand bending the law for personal profit. at least thats legal. but flat out breaking the law? if we're going to apply the personal freedoms of people to large corporations in theoretically capitalist society, then they should be punished just like any other criminal

Sincerely,
Steven Fields
1122 Ellicott
University of Maryland
College Park, MD 20742

Victor Martinez

361 Grandview Avenue Apt#2B , Staten Island, NY 10303

November 15, 2006 1:59 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Victor Martinez
361 Grandview Avenue Apt#2B
Staten Island, NY 10303

Ron Cocco

262 Heritage Lane , Monroe, NY 10950

November 14, 2006 3:36 PM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Ron Cocco
262 Heritage Lane
Monroe, NY 10950

Jill Kleinman

1203 River Rd Unit 10D , Edgewater, NJ 07020

November 14, 2006 2:38 PM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. If you wish to use VNR's they should be labeled truthfully as commercials. Shame on you for misleading the public.

Sincerely, Jill Kleinman 1203 River Rd Unit10d Edgewater, NJ 07020

Sincerely,
Jill Kleinman
1203 River Rd Unit 10D
Edgewater, NJ 07020

Russell White

749 County Route 14 , renselaer falls, NY 13680

September 15, 2006 10:52 AM

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Sincerely,
Russell White
749 County Route 14
renselaer falls, NY 13680

Monica Jones

24 Lakeview Drive , Newburgh, NY 12550

August 29, 2006 10:23 AM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Monica Jones
24 Lakeview Drive
Newburgh, NY 12550

Amy Bracco

324 Pearl Street #5K , New York, NY 10038

August 20, 2006 6:16 PM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Amy Bracco
324 Pearl Street #5K
New York, NY 10038

dakota smith

box 96 , pearl river, NY 10965

July 8, 2006 10:24 AM

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Sincerely,
dakota smith
box 96
pearl river, NY 10965

Kyra Dosch-Klemer

314 Jonestown Road , Oxford, NJ 07863

July 6, 2006 10:49 AM

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Sincerely,
Kyra Dosch-Klemer
314 Jonestown Road
Oxford, NJ 07863

Max Frankel

5131 216th street , Bayside, NY 11364

June 22, 2006 2:25 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. We as people do not need to have advertisements presented as news stories. This should be more of a crime than saying "FUCK" or someone pulling out a breast on TV. AND REGULATE BIG MEDIA ALREADY!! STOP BEING BOUGHT OUT BY CORPORATIONS.

Sincerely,
Max Frankel
5131 216th street
Bayside, NY 11364

sandra kailburn

711 main street , east rochester, NY 14445-1713

June 6, 2006 2:36 PM

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Sincerely,
sandra kailburn
711 main street
east rochester, NY 14445-1713

Edward Bender

137 Shepard Street , Rochester, NY 14620

June 1, 2006 7:36 PM

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Sincerely,
Edward Bender
137 Shepard Street
Rochester, NY 14620

L Trespas

W 43 St , NY, NY 10036-6410

May 30, 2006 5:26 PM

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Sincerely,
L Trespas
W 43 St
NY, NY 10036-6410

Donna Knipp

60 Seaman Ave., #2E , NEW YORK, NY 10034

May 30, 2006 2:21 AM

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Sincerely,
Donna Knipp
60 Seaman Ave., #2E
NEW YORK, NY 10034

naomi pless

83 Cattaragus Drive , Rochester, NY 14623

May 26, 2006 11:14 AM

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Sincerely,
naomi pless
83 Cattaragus Drive
Rochester, NY 14623

fatimah wicks

48 baldwin rd , hempstead, NY 11550

May 25, 2006 1:40 AM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
fatimah wicks
48 baldwin rd
hempstead, NY 11550

WILLIAM RUCH JR

176 PRINCETON ARMS SOUTH , CRANBURY, NJ 08512

May 23, 2006 4:50 PM

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Sincerely,
WILLIAM RUCH JR
176 PRINCETON ARMS SOUTH
CRANBURY, NJ 08512

Robert woznicki

37 pinnacle drive , port jefferson, NY 11777

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. There is a fundamental issue of trust here.

Sincerely,
Robert woznicki
37 pinnacle drive
port jefferson, NY 11777

S Nam

165 Bennett Avenue 4L, New York, NY 10040

May 20, 2006 10:44 AM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
S Nam
165 Bennett Avenue
4L
New York, NY 10040

Hanna Essenburg

24 Hickory Street , Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776

May 14, 2006 5:40 PM

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We the American people need and deserve straightforward information, not additional corporate deception.

Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Hanna Essenburg
24 Hickory Street
Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776

Jacqueline Birnbaum

311 Bronxville Road , Bronxville, NY 10708

May 13, 2006 11:34 AM

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Sincerely,
Jacqueline Birnbaum
311 Bronxville Road
Bronxville, NY 10708

Randy Heitner

7200 Curpin Cove , Austin, TX 78754

May 10, 2006 4:39 PM

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Sincerely,
Randy Heitner
7200 Curpin Cove
Austin, TX 78754

Frank Eadie

310 W. 18th St. , New York, NY 10011-

May 10, 2006 2:36 PM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York and impose and enforce significant and painful penalties rather than the light slaps for which you are famous.

Sincerely,
Frank Eadie
310 W. 18th St.
New York, NY 10011-

June Carlson

25 Willow Ridge Drive , Smithtown, NY 11787

May 10, 2006 11:30 AM

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Sincerely,
June Carlson
25 Willow Ridge Drive
Smithtown, NY 11787

Susan Lehman

220 W. 71st Street , New York, NY 10023

May 10, 2006 12:15 AM

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Sincerely,
Susan Lehman
220 W. 71st Street
New York, NY 10023

greg travis

135 ocean parkway , brooklyn, NY 11218

May 8, 2006 11:00 AM

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Sincerely,
greg travis
135 ocean parkway
brooklyn, NY 11218

Brittany Kaiser

36 ravensdale rd , hastings on hudson, NY 10706

May 6, 2006 4:47 PM

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Sincerely,
Brittany Kaiser
36 ravensdale rd
hastings on hudson, NY 10706

David Pallas

133 Winter St , Troy, NY 12180

May 5, 2006 8:24 PM

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Sincerely,
David Pallas
133 Winter St
Troy, NY 12180

H. DeCoo

365-20 77th street , Jackson Heights, NY, NY 11372

May 4, 2006 4:30 PM

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Sincerely,
H. DeCoo
365-20 77th street
Jackson Heights, NY, NY 11372

Robert Long

36 Washburn Road , Mount Kisco, NY 10549

May 4, 2006 9:06 AM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. This undermines the basic fabric of clarity and journalistic integrity upon which democracy is based. Without an understanding of what is "news" and what is advertising, the American public does not have access to information upon which to make our decisions, whether they are related to voting, selection of products and services, or other decisions in life. This is critical.

Sincerely,
Robert Long
36 Washburn Road
Mount Kisco, NY 10549

Brenda Rooney

91 cranberry dr , mastic beach, NY 11951

May 3, 2006 9:30 PM

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91 cranberry dr
mastic beach, NY 11951

Miho Suzuki-Robinson

13 Ervin Drive , Wappingers Falls, NY 12590

May 3, 2006 8:18 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Subject: Stop Fake TV News in New York

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Miho Suzuki-Robinson
13 Ervin Drive
Wappingers Falls, NY 12590

Bernard Zwick

80 La Salle St , New York, NY 10027-4714

May 2, 2006 9:10 PM

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445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Sincerely,
Bernard Zwick
80 La Salle St
New York, NY 10027-4714

Martin Springer

42 Lawrence Place , Chestnut Ridge, NY 10977

May 2, 2006 8:55 AM

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Sincerely,
Martin Springer
42 Lawrence Place
Chestnut Ridge, NY 10977

Jolie Ruben

58 Charla Drive , Southampton, NY 11968

May 1, 2006 7:25 PM

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445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Sincerely,
Jolie Ruben
58 Charla Drive
Southampton, NY 11968

Patrycja Kollek

10 May Place , Staten Island, NY 10312

April 30, 2006 10:42 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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I am appalled that this takes place in the newsrooms! I would like to sit down after a hard day's work and have the news presented to me in an orderly fashion- with sources clearly stated- so I do not have to guess whether I am looking at a news story or a commercial. These stations, along with other stations that participated in airing fake news, should be heavily penalized for not serving the public like they should. I also recommend that during each news story presented on television, the FCC make it mandatory to present the sources at the bottom of the screen. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Patrycja Kollek
10 May Place
Staten Island, NY 10312

Gregg Morris

695 Park Avenue , NYC, NY 10021

April 30, 2006 5:34 PM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Gregg Morris
695 Park Avenue
NYC, NY 10021

Carley Broder

100 West 67th St. Apt. 2-SE, New York, NY 10023

April 30, 2006 4:13 AM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York and throughout the nation. Fake news serves no one but the advertisers who try to bypass advertising regulations and news stations who save the expense of finding and reporting news independently.

Sincerely,
Carley Broder
100 West 67th St.
Apt. 2-SE
New York, NY 10023

Steve Dickman

1404 Livingston Place , Vestal, NY 13850-4027

April 28, 2006 3:41 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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The FCC must investigate this abuse in New York, clarify disclosure requirements and penalize all stations that air fake news.

Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. The public should be treated as thinking citizens in a democracy, not mindless targets for economic exploitation.

Sincerely,
Steve Dickman
1404 Livingston Place
Vestal, NY 13850-4027

Justine Januszkiewicz

29 Rankin Road , Amherst, NY 14226

April 27, 2006 7:51 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Justine Januszkiewicz
29 Rankin Road
Amherst, NY 14226

Devra Olano

121 Freedom Avenue , Staten Island, NY 10314

April 27, 2006 12:15 AM

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Sincerely,
Devra Olano
121 Freedom Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10314

Eric W. Goldstein

49 First Street Ext Apt. 2, Glen Cove, NY 11542

April 26, 2006 4:12 PM

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Sincerely,
Eric W. Goldstein
49 First Street Ext
Apt. 2
Glen Cove, NY 11542

belinda campagno

47 county rt 9 , gouverneur, NY 13642

April 26, 2006 7:05 AM

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Sincerely,
belinda campagno
47 county rt 9
gouverneur, NY 13642

Nina Lee

12 Brighton Court , Loudonville, NY 12211

April 26, 2006 4:06 AM

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445 12th Street SW
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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Nina Lee
12 Brighton Court
Loudonville, NY 12211

Dr. Arthur L. Friedman

65-12 Ellwell Crescent , Rego Park, NY 11374-5032

April 25, 2006 8:22 PM

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445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. I want to know when a "news story" or "investigative report" has been produced by the station's reporters and when it has been produced by a PR firm. Let's return to authenticate news for all Americans.

Sincerely,
Dr. Arthur L. Friedman
65-12 Ellwell Crescent
Rego Park, NY 11374-5032

J Hunt

220 St James Pl , Brooklyn, NY 11238

April 25, 2006 1:05 PM

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Sincerely,
J Hunt
220 St James Pl
Brooklyn, NY 11238

marilyn rock

1939 gerritsen avenue , brooklyn, NY 11229

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
marilyn rock
1939 gerritsen avenue
brooklyn, NY 11229

Amelia Stevens

89 e main street , Trumansburg, NY 14886

April 25, 2006 12:28 AM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Amelia Stevens
89 e main street
Trumansburg, NY 14886

Anne Baird

p o box 831 , bridgehampton, NY 11932

April 24, 2006 4:29 PM

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Sincerely,
Anne Baird
p o box 831
bridgehampton, NY 11932

Irene Harvey

60 E 9 St , New York, NY 10003

April 24, 2006 3:17 PM

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Sincerely,
Irene Harvey
60 E 9 St
New York, NY 10003

Marie Duval

125 Lenox Road , Brooklyn, NY 11226

April 24, 2006 1:18 PM

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Sincerely,
Marie Duval
125 Lenox Road
Brooklyn, NY 11226

Mary de la Torre

77 South Greenfield Road , Greenfield Center, NY 12833

April 24, 2006 11:43 AM

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Sincerely,
Mary de la Torre
77 South Greenfield Road
Greenfield Center, NY 12833

Melissa Bishop

645 14th Ave. , Vero Beach, FL 32962

April 24, 2006 10:20 AM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Melissa Bishop
645 14th Ave.
Vero Beach, FL 32962

Nicholas Sofos

1 Dale Dr , Farmingdale,, NY 11735

April 23, 2006 11:44 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Nicholas Sofos
1 Dale Dr
Farmingdale,, NY 11735

Cathy Haft

395 Broadway #4D , New York, NY 10013-3546

April 23, 2006 7:03 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Cathy Haft
395 Broadway #4D
New York, NY 10013-3546

David Warth

45-44 42nd St. #3D , Sunnyside, NY 11104

April 23, 2006 6:35 PM

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Sincerely,
David Warth
45-44 42nd St. #3D
Sunnyside, NY 11104

ANDRU ERON

242 E 19 ST , NY, NY 10003

April 23, 2006 5:56 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Subject: No Fake TV News in NYC!

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Fake news in New York is unacceptable.

Sincerely,
ANDRU ERON
242 E 19 ST
NY, NY 10003

Leathea Vanadore

330 West 28th St. , New York, NY 10001

April 23, 2006 5:15 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Leathea Vanadore
330 West 28th St.
New York, NY 10001

James Lewis

4852 East Road , Batavia, NY 14020

April 23, 2006 1:22 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
James Lewis
4852 East Road
Batavia, NY 14020

JOSEPH MACDONALD

6 OLD TOWN RD. , MONROE, NY 10950

April 23, 2006 1:05 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Sincerely,
JOSEPH MACDONALD
6 OLD TOWN RD.
MONROE, NY 10950

Susan Cuda

14 Oxford Dr , Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

April 23, 2006 12:49 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Sincerely,
Susan Cuda
14 Oxford Dr
Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

Laurie Zaleski

1111 Ostrander Avenue , Riverhead, NY 11901

April 23, 2006 12:24 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Laurie Zaleski
1111 Ostrander Avenue
Riverhead, NY 11901

thomas bernhardi

239 congress avenue , rochester, NY 14611

April 23, 2006 11:01 AM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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It is absolutely essential that news distributors - including all radio, television, internet, and print media - identify the source of the information they present to the public. It must be a regulatory requirement for distributors to clearly label all ADVERTISEMENTS.

It must be made clear to all media outlets that they face steep fines if they fail to differentiate for the audience INFORMATIVE NEWS pieces from MANUFACTURED MARKETING segments.

It is the mission of the FCC to regulate this activity, just as it is the mission of the FDA to regulate food and drug labelling and content.

It is the mission of the FCC to serve the public, not the industry or corporations it is required by law to regulate.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
thomas bernhardi
239 congress avenue
rochester, NY 14611

Judith Tarasek

532 Daryl Drive , Medford, NY 11763-

April 23, 2006 9:45 AM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Subject: Stop Fake TV News in New York

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Sincerely,
Judith Tarasek
532 Daryl Drive
Medford, NY 11763-

Doris Maha

2806 Lear Road , Batavia, NY 14020

April 23, 2006 12:50 AM

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It is your responsibility to keep stations within the broadcasting guidelines. I deeply resent one of my local channels being a party to this. I have written them to tell them so. Now I want you to do YOUR job.

Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Doris Maha
2806 Lear Road
Batavia, NY 14020

Rev. Marlena Mallner

501 West 110th Street , New York, NY 10025-2013

April 22, 2006 8:48 PM

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Sincerely,
Rev. Marlena Mallner
501 West 110th Street
New York, NY 10025-2013

richard newhouse

119 keats ave , hartsdale, NY 10530-

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Sincerely,
richard newhouse
119 keats ave
hartsdale, NY 10530-

Bill Kuebel

1406 East Ridge Rd , Rochester, NY 14621

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Bill Kuebel
1406 East Ridge Rd
Rochester, NY 14621

Martin Rosenthal

86-70 Francis Lewis Blvd. Apt. A58 , Queens Village, NY 11427

April 22, 2006 11:25 AM

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Sincerely,
Martin Rosenthal
86-70 Francis Lewis Blvd. Apt. A58
Queens Village, NY 11427

Jordan Johnson

858 10th Ave , nyc, NY 10019

April 21, 2006 7:24 PM

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Sincerely,
Jordan Johnson
858 10th Ave
nyc, NY 10019

Patricia Turlowicz

547 Hancock Street , Brooklyn, NY 11233-

April 21, 2006 3:29 PM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. FCC is short for Federal Communication Commission and as such should ensure that ALL businesses adhere to the rules created to protect the people of THIS DEMOCRACY from being lied to or misrepresented. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Patricia Turlowicz
547 Hancock Street
Brooklyn, NY 11233-

Joseph Valentin

665 88th Street , Brooklyn, NY 11228

April 21, 2006 1:37 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Joseph Valentin
665 88th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11228

Carole Ermler

1841 Lurting Avenue , Bronx, NY 10461

April 21, 2006 10:59 AM

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Sincerely,
Carole Ermler
1841 Lurting Avenue
Bronx, NY 10461

Rebecca Coleman

20 Plaza Street East D 10, Brooklyn, NY 11238-

April 21, 2006 10:51 AM

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Sincerely,
Rebecca Coleman
20 Plaza Street East
D 10
Brooklyn, NY 11238-

beverly wallace

176 bullet hole rd , mahopac, NY 10541

April 21, 2006 12:12 AM

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Sincerely,
beverly wallace
176 bullet hole rd
mahopac, NY 10541

Z. Vilakazi

380 Rector Place , New York, NY 10280

April 20, 2006 10:04 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Z. Vilakazi
380 Rector Place
New York, NY 10280

Eric Serxner

1312 Glenwood Rd , Brooklyn, NY 11230-1710

April 20, 2006 5:59 PM

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Sincerely,
Eric Serxner
1312 Glenwood Rd
Brooklyn, NY 11230-1710

Laura s

2 Brook Trail , Croton on Hudson, NY 10520-

April 20, 2006 5:12 PM

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Sincerely,
Laura s
2 Brook Trail
Croton on Hudson, NY 10520-

Sam DeWitt

34 8th ave , New York, NY 10014

April 20, 2006 2:12 PM

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Sincerely,
Sam DeWitt
34 8th ave
New York, NY 10014

Jennifer Dickman

1404 Livingston PL , Vestal, NY 13850-

April 20, 2006 1:23 PM

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Sincerely,
Jennifer Dickman
1404 Livingston PL
Vestal, NY 13850-

Eric Albert

459 State St 1, Brooklyn, NY 11217

April 20, 2006 9:12 AM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. And elsewhere. Such "reporting" (and lack of oversight) have no place in a real democracy.

Sincerely,
Eric Albert
459 State St
1
Brooklyn, NY 11217

Steve Kohn

126 Church Street # 3 - D, New Rochelle, NY 10805-3253

April 20, 2006 8:54 AM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Steve Kohn
126 Church Street
3 - D
New Rochelle, NY 10805-3253

Janet Munro-Nelson

40 East 75th ST , New York, NY 10021

April 20, 2006 8:41 AM

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Sincerely,
Janet Munro-Nelson
40 East 75th ST
New York, NY 10021

Gerri L Bunnell

PO Box 1032 , Tonawanda, NY 14151-

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

The stations should be fined more than you fined them for "Janet's" exposure during the superbowl.

This goes beyond decency standards to out right lying for personal gains and using our public airwaves to do so!

Sincerely,
Gerri L Bunnell
PO Box 1032
Tonawanda, NY 14151-

Alfred & Dorothy stracher

47 The Oaks , Roslyn, NY, NY 11576-

April 19, 2006 9:34 PM

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Please act immediately to bstop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Alfred %pa_first_name% Dorothy stracher
47 The Oaks
Roslyn, NY, NY 11576-

B Vahey

40 Kent Road , Island Park, NY 11558

April 19, 2006 9:28 PM

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Sincerely,
B Vahey
40 Kent Road
Island Park, NY 11558

Kay Radcliffe

7 Jane Street , New York, NY 10014-

April 19, 2006 7:01 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Kay Radcliffe
7 Jane Street
New York, NY 10014-

Galina Gorelik

265 Quentin Road Apt. C5, BROOKLYN, NY 11223

April 19, 2006 5:54 PM

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Sincerely,
Galina Gorelik
265 Quentin Road
Apt. C5
BROOKLYN, NY 11223

Linda Jenkins

6 Harrison Street 4th Floor, New Yorkl, NY 10013

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Sincerely,
Linda Jenkins
6 Harrison Street
4th Floor
New Yorkl, NY 10013

Greg and Sherry Hewitt

242Autumn Run , Sch'dy, NY 12306

April 19, 2006 3:55 PM

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Sincerely,
Greg and Sherry Hewitt
242Autumn Run
Sch'dy, NY 12306

Russell Christian

80 Van Cortlandt Pk. S. E22, Bronx, NY 10463

April 19, 2006 1:19 PM

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Sincerely,
Russell Christian
80 Van Cortlandt Pk. S.
E22
Bronx, NY 10463

Jenifer Rosenberg

202 Kent Street , new York, NY 11222

April 19, 2006 1:14 PM

Federal Communications Commission
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Sincerely,
Jenifer Rosenberg
202 Kent Street
new York, NY 11222

iris Ciabattari

1540 cedar , Fayetteville, AR 72703

April 19, 2006 1:06 PM

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Sincerely,
iris Ciabattari
1540 cedar
Fayetteville, AR 72703

Alice Lovely

457 W 57th St. , NY, NY 10019

April 19, 2006 12:28 PM

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Sincerely,
Alice Lovely
457 W 57th St.
NY, NY 10019

Steve Neubeck

55 Bridgeman , Buffalo, NY 14207

April 19, 2006 12:22 PM

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445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Sincerely,
Steve Neubeck
55 Bridgeman
Buffalo, NY 14207

Routh Chadwick

453 W. 43rd Street , New York, NY 10036

April 19, 2006 11:31 AM

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445 12th Street SW
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453 W. 43rd Street
New York, NY 10036

Kathryn Herskovits

728 5th Ave C2, Brooklyn, NY 11232

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Sincerely,
Kathryn Herskovits
728 5th Ave
C2
Brooklyn, NY 11232

Kathleen Thomas

198 E 7 St #1 , New York, NY 10009

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Sincerely,
Kathleen Thomas
198 E 7 St #1
New York, NY 10009

Edward Schreiber

PO Box 11 , Lake Katrine, NY 12449

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Sincerely,
Edward Schreiber
PO Box 11
Lake Katrine, NY 12449

Carl Pudvah

P.O. Box 2203 , Wilton, NY 12831

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Sincerely,
Carl Pudvah
P.O. Box 2203
Wilton, NY 12831

Joanne Mann

1005 Day Rd. , Schenectady, NY 12303

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Sincerely,
Joanne Mann
1005 Day Rd.
Schenectady, NY 12303

guy zaczek

2456 Ontario ave , Niagara Falls, NY 14305

April 18, 2006 10:50 PM

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2456 Ontario ave
Niagara Falls, NY 14305

LOIS WETZEL

101 JUSTIN AV , STATEN ISL., NY 10306-

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LOIS WETZEL
101 JUSTIN AV
STATEN ISL., NY 10306-

amy friedman

149 haver road , olivebridge, NY 12461-

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Sincerely,
amy friedman
149 haver road
olivebridge, NY 12461-

s leelike

220 east 10th street , new york, NY 10003

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The Daiy Show is fake news, and it is becomming more truthful than the so called real news. If you can censure content (which is not necessary) you should certainly censure truth. Even advertising has rules.

Sincerely,
s leelike
220 east 10th street
new york, NY 10003

Joseph Raghelli

191 Willoughby St. Apt. 12H, Brooklyn, NY 11201-5442

April 18, 2006 5:00 PM

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Sincerely,
Joseph Raghelli
191 Willoughby St.
Apt. 12H
Brooklyn, NY 11201-5442

Arnold Walter

76 Shamrock Drive , Lackawanna, NY 14218

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. It's about time for your agency to start doing its job! We don't want this phony news junk being aired as real news. The corporations don't own the airwaves. Stop treating them as if they did. Maybe we need to clean house at your agency in 2006? Get some genuine Democrats in there to sweep out the trash.

Sincerely,
Arnold Walter
76 Shamrock Drive
Lackawanna, NY 14218

Lois Hurley

90 East St , Oneonta, NY 13820

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Sincerely,
Lois Hurley
90 East St
Oneonta, NY 13820

Anita Brandariz

13 Willow Place , Brooklyn, NY 11201 4506

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Sincerely,
Anita Brandariz
13 Willow Place
Brooklyn, NY 11201 4506

Christine Giugni

35 W. 92nd St. , New York, NY 10025

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Sincerely,
Christine Giugni
35 W. 92nd St.
New York, NY 10025

Gabriela Amari

125 Ocean Parkway Apt. 6c, Brooklyn, NY 11218-2526

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Sincerely,
Gabriela Amari
125 Ocean Parkway
Apt. 6c
Brooklyn, NY 11218-2526

Carol Cramaer

200 W. 20 St. , NY, NY 10011

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Sincerely,
Carol Cramaer
200 W. 20 St.
NY, NY 10011

Julia Bresnak

24 Osborne Avenue , East Moriches, NY 11940

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Sincerely,
Julia Bresnak
24 Osborne Avenue
East Moriches, NY 11940

Jeffrey Nash

139 West 17th St. , New York, NY 10011-5401

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Sincerely,
Jeffrey Nash
139 West 17th St.
New York, NY 10011-5401

kate mcCamy

73 Leonard st #4, NY, NY 10013

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73 Leonard st
#4
NY, NY 10013

Chloe Winther

41 Eastern Parkway , Brooklyn, NY 11238

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Chloe Winther
41 Eastern Parkway
Brooklyn, NY 11238

erik whittle

S Greenfield rd , greenfield, NY 12833

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S Greenfield rd
greenfield, NY 12833

Marion Osmun

210 East 10th Street , New York, NY 10003

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Sincerely,
Marion Osmun
210 East 10th Street
New York, NY 10003

Jerry Mavec

628 Tenth Ave. #4N , New York, NY 10036

April 18, 2006 11:08 AM

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Impeach Bush! U.S.A. out of Afganistan and Iraq now!

I agree with these views.

Sincerely,
Jerry Mavec
628 Tenth Ave. #4N
New York, NY 10036

Andrew Seles

35 Hillside Avenue , Glenwood Landing, NY 11547-0563

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Sincerely,
Andrew Seles
35 Hillside Avenue
Glenwood Landing, NY 11547-0563

Penina Scher

360 East 72nd St. , New York, NY 10021-

April 18, 2006 9:55 AM

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Sincerely,
Penina Scher
360 East 72nd St.
New York, NY 10021-

Kaethe Cherney

340 RSD , NYC, NY 10025-3433

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Sincerely,
Kaethe Cherney
340 RSD
NYC, NY 10025-3433

M.Sharon Gambocorto

8435 Quadrant Ln , Baldwinsville, NY 13027

April 18, 2006 6:55 AM

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Sincerely,
M.Sharon Gambocorto
8435 Quadrant Ln
Baldwinsville, NY 13027

Margaret Hart

342 S. Railroad St. , Parish, NY 13131

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Margaret Hart
342 S. Railroad St.
Parish, NY 13131

Karen Ireton

PO Box 462 , Mohegan Lake, NY 10547-0462

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Sincerely,
Karen Ireton
PO Box 462
Mohegan Lake, NY 10547-0462

carolyn lombardo

170 w 23rd street 3v, new york, NY 10011-

April 17, 2006 9:36 PM

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Sincerely,
carolyn lombardo
170 w 23rd street
3v
new york, NY 10011-

Louis G. Albano

314 13 Street , Brooklyn, NY 11215-4910

April 17, 2006 9:27 PM

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Sincerely,
Louis G. Albano
314 13 Street
Brooklyn, NY 11215-4910

Robert Singerman

161 W. 54th St. , New York, NY 10019

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Sincerely,
Robert Singerman
161 W. 54th St.
New York, NY 10019

Karen Bauer

204 West 108th St. #22 , New York, NY 10025

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Check it out. It's true.

Sincerely,
Karen Bauer
204 West 108th St. #22
New York, NY 10025

Jeanette Leone

105 Village Ct , Kingston, NY 12401

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Sincerely,
Jeanette Leone
105 Village Ct
Kingston, NY 12401

Phyllis Brown

12 Jennifer Lane , Hartsdale, NY 10530-

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Please investigate and act to uphold the law.

Sincerely,
Phyllis Brown
12 Jennifer Lane
Hartsdale, NY 10530-

Hara Sinkov

31 Boswell Rd. , Putnam Valley, NY 10579-2810

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This deception only serves to lower already low viewer opinion of "broadcast journalsits" whether it is a corporation or the government who is the source of the material.

Please enforce FCC rules and investigate and penalize any broadcasters who allow infoganda over OUR airwaves through their studios.

Sincerely,
Hara Sinkov
31 Boswell Rd.
Putnam Valley, NY 10579-2810

Linda Impenna

P.O. Box 405 , Crompond, NY 10517

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Michael Bilecki

31 Locust Road , Brookhaven, NY 11719-

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Sincerely,
Michael Bilecki
31 Locust Road
Brookhaven, NY 11719-

josephine hardy

201 eastern parkway , brooklyn, NY 11238

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Sincerely,
josephine hardy
201 eastern parkway
brooklyn, NY 11238

Theresa Garraffa

43 1/2 Carpenter Av , Mount Kisco, NY 10549-2448

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Mount Kisco, NY 10549-2448

Sarah Gardener

27 Mapledale St. , Rochester, NY 14609-4211

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Sarah Gardener
27 Mapledale St.
Rochester, NY 14609-4211

Caroline Scherf

49 Old Mill River Road , Pound Ridge, NY 10576

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Sincerely,
Caroline Scherf
49 Old Mill River Road
Pound Ridge, NY 10576

Fred Koster

200 East 81st Street , New York, NY 10028

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Fred Koster
200 East 81st Street
New York, NY 10028

Paul Beckwith

116 Ludlow Road , Lansing, NY 14882

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Sincerely,
Paul Beckwith
116 Ludlow Road
Lansing, NY 14882

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122 w 80th st , ny, NY 10024

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122 w 80th st
ny, NY 10024

L. A. Harris

18 Pearl St. , Kingston, NY 12401

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So far, I have only heard about one station on the West Coast that has promised never to present such promotional pieces as news, but this is not enough. We need to have the FCC take action. Immediately.

Sincerely,
L. A. Harris
18 Pearl St.
Kingston, NY 12401

Christine Anifantakis

189 I. U. Willets Road , Albertson, NY 11507

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Christine Anifantakis
189 I. U. Willets Road
Albertson, NY 11507

Jesse Beller

4 Munson Street , Croton on Hudson, NY 10520-

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Jesse Beller
4 Munson Street
Croton on Hudson, NY 10520-

Emily Budd

20 Holbrooke st , Rochester, NY 14621

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Emily Budd
20 Holbrooke st
Rochester, NY 14621

Patricia Curtin

146 W. 73rd Street , New York, NY 10023

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Patricia Curtin
146 W. 73rd Street
New York, NY 10023

David O'Grady

1883 Brookview Road , Castleton, NY 12033

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1883 Brookview Road
Castleton, NY 12033

Athanasia Gregoriades

341 W. 24 St. , NY, NY 10011

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Sincerely,
Athanasia Gregoriades
341 W. 24 St.
NY, NY 10011

Howard Eisenberg

144 W.80th , New York, NY 10024

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Sincerely,
Howard Eisenberg
144 W.80th
New York, NY 10024

Julie Greenwood

Wittenberg Rd , Mount Tremper, NY 12457

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Julie Greenwood
Wittenberg Rd
Mount Tremper, NY 12457

Alexandra Bennett

76 Sixth Ave , Nyack, NY 10960

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Sincerely,
Alexandra Bennett
76 Sixth Ave
Nyack, NY 10960

Bruce Macfarlane

45 Stuyvesant Avenue , Larchmont, NY 10538-2719

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Bruce Macfarlane
45 Stuyvesant Avenue
Larchmont, NY 10538-2719

Rebecca Bahr

101 west 90th street #22E , New York, NY 10024-

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Sincerely,
Rebecca Bahr
101 west 90th street #22E
New York, NY 10024-

Tobias Gebb

860 W. 181st #2, New York City, NY 10033

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Sincerely,
Tobias Gebb
860 W. 181st
#2
New York City, NY 10033

Mary Poyourow

721 E. 26 St. , Brooklyn, NY 11210

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Sincerely,
Mary Poyourow
721 E. 26 St.
Brooklyn, NY 11210

K Kojm

1833 Kensington Ave. , Buffalo, NY 14215-

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It's time to remove distorted news from all media.

Sincerely,
K Kojm
1833 Kensington Ave.
Buffalo, NY 14215-

Maria Van Cott

66 Saint George Dr W , Shirley, NY 11967

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The news should only be allowed to deliver trustworthy and unbiased news information without any outside monetary influence.

Sincerely,
Maria Van Cott
66 Saint George Dr W
Shirley, NY 11967

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818 jerome ct. , westbury, NY 11590-

April 17, 2006 12:01 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
ruth pessin
818 jerome ct.
westbury, NY 11590-

Lynne Batlan Levine

155 Chestnut Street , Mount Sinai, NY 11766

April 17, 2006 11:48 AM

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155 Chestnut Street
Mount Sinai, NY 11766

Vi Ransel

PO Box 164/33 E. Main St. 33 E. Main St., Earlville, NY 13332-

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Vi Ransel
PO Box 164/33 E. Main St.
33 E. Main St.
Earlville, NY 13332-

Gene Greger

510 Grand St. , Troy, NY 12180

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Sincerely,
Gene Greger
510 Grand St.
Troy, NY 12180

John Hotvedt

492 Henry Street, 4-i , Brooklyn, NY 11231

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John Hotvedt
492 Henry Street, 4-i
Brooklyn, NY 11231

Ann Thorpe

33 Holiday Lane , Kingston, NY 12401

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Ann Thorpe
33 Holiday Lane
Kingston, NY 12401

Sandra Needham

75 North Broadway , Nyack, NY 10960

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Sincerely,
Sandra Needham
75 North Broadway
Nyack, NY 10960

Mary Henderson

146 Newfield St , Buffalo, NY 14207

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Sincerely,
Mary Henderson
146 Newfield St
Buffalo, NY 14207

Eric Furst

179-05 80th Drive , Jamaica Estates, NY 11432

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Sincerely,
Eric Furst
179-05 80th Drive
Jamaica Estates, NY 11432

George Stadnik

24-66 44th Street , Long Island City, NY 11103

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Sincerely,
George Stadnik
24-66 44th Street
Long Island City, NY 11103

Gregory Wayne Berry

c/o 19 Pine Cone Lane , Mount Morris, NY 14510

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Gregory Wayne Berry
c/o 19 Pine Cone Lane
Mount Morris, NY 14510

Chris Freitag

15 Albert RD , Amity Harbor, NY 11701

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Sincerely,
Chris Freitag
15 Albert RD
Amity Harbor, NY 11701

Vinita Sehgal

89 devonshire road , New rochelle, NY 10804

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Sincerely,
Vinita Sehgal
89 devonshire road
New rochelle, NY 10804

Arlene Bielecki

3683 Woodbrook , East Aurora, NY 14052

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Sincerely,
Arlene Bielecki
3683 Woodbrook
East Aurora, NY 14052

Joan Ferrante

440 Riverside Drive , New York, NY 10027

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Sincerely,
Joan Ferrante
440 Riverside Drive
New York, NY 10027

Jennifer Umlas

719 Humboldt Street , Brooklyn, NY 11222

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Sincerely,
Jennifer Umlas
719 Humboldt Street
Brooklyn, NY 11222

Thomas Minnix

117 Bedford Ave., #3R , Brooklyn, NY 11211

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Sincerely,
Thomas Minnix
117 Bedford Ave., #3R
Brooklyn, NY 11211

Jennifer Kardiak

244 E. 13th Street #4 , New York, NY 10003

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Jennifer Kardiak
244 E. 13th Street #4
New York, NY 10003

Matthew Tiffault

850 Vine St. Apt. 26E , Liverpool, NY 13088

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Sincerely,
Matthew Tiffault
850 Vine St. Apt. 26E
Liverpool, NY 13088

addie corn

472 jefferson boulevard , staten island, NY 10312-2337

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You take the time to fine Howard Stern so what's stopping you from investigating New York for abusing the air waves and delivering fake news? It's sad when you have to watch a real "fake news show" [The Daily Show to get the real truth!

Sincerely,
addie corn
472 jefferson boulevard
staten island, NY 10312-2337

Patrick Gormley

56 Labelle terrace , Amherst, NY 14228

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Patrick Gormley
56 Labelle terrace
Amherst, NY 14228

Tamara Iwaseczko

72 Barrow Street , NY, NY 10014

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Sincerely,
Tamara Iwaseczko
72 Barrow Street
NY, NY 10014

Joseph Ferguson

152 Johnson Rd , Wingdale, NY 12594

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Sincerely,
Joseph Ferguson
152 Johnson Rd
Wingdale, NY 12594

Ditra Walsh

PO Box 158 , New York, NY 10014

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Sincerely,
Ditra Walsh
PO Box 158
New York, NY 10014

Robert Snyder

106 East 81 Street , New York, NY 10028

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Fake news is a blot on journalism and the democracy it should serve. The FCC should investigate VNRS and do what it can to erase them from the airways.

Sincerely,
Robert Snyder
106 East 81 Street
New York, NY 10028

Mike Keenan

43 Madonna Lake Road , Cropseyville, NY 12052-

April 14, 2006 9:21 AM

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Mike Keenan
43 Madonna Lake Road
Cropseyville, NY 12052-

Lenore Greenberg

120 Boerum Pl. 1J , Brooklyn, NY 11201

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Sincerely,
Lenore Greenberg
120 Boerum Pl. 1J
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Margaret McCormick

346 Richbell Rd. b2 , Mamaroneck, NY 10543

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Margaret McCormick
346 Richbell Rd. b2
Mamaroneck, NY 10543

joseph smith

32 W 82 st , NY, NY 10024

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Sincerely,
joseph smith
32 W 82 st
NY, NY 10024

Joanne Siegel

4 Uxbridge Road , Scarsdale, NY 10583-2725

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Sincerely,
Joanne Siegel
4 Uxbridge Road
Scarsdale, NY 10583-2725

regina walther

5 Abode Road , New Lebanon, NY 12125

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Sincerely,
regina walther
5 Abode Road
New Lebanon, NY 12125

Nora Edwards

10 Aldrich Rd , Wingdale, NY 12594

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10 Aldrich Rd
Wingdale, NY 12594

Joyce Gerbasi

561 Bone Plain Rd , Freeville, NY 13068

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

I am horrified to learn that the local news station I have watched most, WSYR-9, and specifically Carrie Lazarus, a newscaster I have watched since she graduated from college and was hired by Channel 5, are using advertisements for drugs written by the drug companies, and calling them news. I was particularly appalled to find that she had also left out safety warnings included in the material she used.

I am contacting the station to complain, but I feel the FCC should act to make sure such violations do not reoccur. This is a complete rejection of Clear Channel's responsibility to the public.

Sincerely,
Joyce Gerbasi
561 Bone Plain Rd
Freeville, NY 13068

audrey grossman

90 garfield place apt 2, brooklyn, NY 11215

April 14, 2006 8:47 AM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
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People want to believe that what they see on the news is FACTUAL and UNBIASED. This was not the case in this instance. How are we to form honest judgements and opinions if the information we receive is biased from the start? PLEASE stop this from happening again.

Sincerely,
audrey grossman
90 garfield place
apt 2
brooklyn, NY 11215

Josephine Haggerty

408 Atlantic Avenue , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. There was a time when radio and television companies could not also own print media. We now have newspaper owners also owning several newspapers, radio and TV stations. How in the world can the public get unbiased, trueful news when a big brother corporation owns them and controls them. What has happened to our wonderful country. Free press is essential for a democracy. Bring back Free Press.

Sincerely,
Josephine Haggerty
408 Atlantic Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11217

413-585-8904

daniel bauer

235 east 22nd st apt 2h, new york, NY 10010-

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Sincerely,
daniel bauer
235 east 22nd st
apt 2h
new york, NY 10010-

Barbara Boyce

94 Percy , Churchville, NY 14428

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Because of the intensity of news programs and the public's general reliability on them, FCC must guarantee us that we are receiving correct and factual news broadcasts. Please take steps to stop fake news!

Sincerely,
Barbara Boyce
94 Percy
Churchville, NY 14428

Leilani M. Torres

324 Livingston St. , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Sincerely,
Leilani M. Torres
324 Livingston St.
Brooklyn, NY 11217

karen haney

56 macdougall st , ny, NY 10012

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York and anywhere else it occurs. The FCC, as agent for the US government, has the responsibility to ensure the public is protected according to the law - please exercise this responsibility.

Sincerely,
karen haney
56 macdougall st
ny, NY 10012

Mark Reisinger

603B Country Club Rd , Vestal, NY 13850

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Sincerely,
Mark Reisinger
603B Country Club Rd
Vestal, NY 13850

N Refes

341 Lafayette #4144 , New York, NY 10012

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This type of 'news propaganda' is unamerican and must be stopped for many reasons.

The first important and most frightening one is that it signals the end of our free society. This is the kind of stuff you expect in China under a strict communist rule not from the USA.

I implore you to act immediately to stop fake news in New York. Please!

Sincerely,
N Refes
341 Lafayette #4144
New York, NY 10012

Darren Baun

48 Branford Rd , Rochester, NY 14618

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Sincerely,
Darren Baun
48 Branford Rd
Rochester, NY 14618

Vincent Glasser

5214 Wilshire Lane , Oakdale, NY 11769

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Sincerely,
Vincent Glasser
5214 Wilshire Lane
Oakdale, NY 11769

James Yonkers

91 Red OAK Ln , Rensselaer, NY 12144

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Sincerely,
James Yonkers
91 Red OAK Ln
Rensselaer, NY 12144

Mary Suda

588 Grooms Road , Clifton Park, NY 12065-5913

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. A democracy needs timely access to facts and untarnished information to remain healthy.

Sincerely,
Mary Suda
588 Grooms Road
Clifton Park, NY 12065-5913

Walter Daniels

2802 Deer Street , Mohegan Lake, NY 10547

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Sincerely,
Walter Daniels
2802 Deer Street
Mohegan Lake, NY 10547

christine moore

510 L Street #1006 , anchorage, AK 99501

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Sincerely,
christine moore
510 L Street #1006
anchorage, AK 99501

Christopher Kirejczyk

15 Taft Place , Albertson, NY 11507

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Sincerely,
Christopher Kirejczyk
15 Taft Place
Albertson, NY 11507

Joseph Wierschem

20 Terrace Ave. , Albany, NY 12203

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I am appalled that newstations are engaging in airing fake news in New York. It's bad enough that we do it in foreign countried, but now New York!

It has to be stopped for the public to be fully informed of its content.

Sincerely,
Joseph Wierschem
20 Terrace Ave.
Albany, NY 12203

Shirley Horowitz

80-59 267th Street , Floral Park, NY 11004-

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Sincerely,
Shirley Horowitz
80-59 267th Street
Floral Park, NY 11004-

Bill Brooks

284 Clinton Street , Brooklyn, NY 11201

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Sincerely,
Bill Brooks
284 Clinton Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Elaine Donovan

9176 Hayward Hill Road , Hemlock, NY 14466-9651

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Sincerely,
Elaine Donovan
9176 Hayward Hill Road
Hemlock, NY 14466-9651

Deb McAllister

412 Rock Beach Road , Rochester, NY 14617

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Sincerely,
Deb McAllister
412 Rock Beach Road
Rochester, NY 14617

Chad Mason

2723 Robins St. , Endwell, NY 13760

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Sincerely,
Chad Mason
2723 Robins St.
Endwell, NY 13760

val van cleve

56 walker st , ny, NY 10013

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Sincerely,
val van cleve
56 walker st
ny, NY 10013

Glenn Krouse

32 Howard Street , Norwich, NY 13815-

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Sincerely,
Glenn Krouse
32 Howard Street
Norwich, NY 13815-

Larry Russell

296 8th Street , Brooklyn, NY 11215

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Sincerely,
Larry Russell
296 8th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11215

Amy Lemle

6 Tory Lane , Scarsdale, NY 10583

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Sincerely,
Amy Lemle
6 Tory Lane
Scarsdale, NY 10583

Carol Laverne

315 Seventh Avenue, 3-C , New York, NY 10001

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Sincerely,
Carol Laverne
315 Seventh Avenue, 3-C
New York, NY 10001

Richard Faussette

226 e 29 street , New York, NY 10016

April 14, 2006 7:44 AM

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Sincerely,
Richard Faussette
226 e 29 street
New York, NY 10016

roe0325@yahoo.com montalvo

64 Hopkins Avenue , Staten Island, NY 10306

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Sincerely,
roe0325@yahoo.com montalvo
64 Hopkins Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10306

Rachel Meyer

7 Maple Lane , Huntington, NY 11743

April 14, 2006 7:31 AM

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Sincerely,
Rachel Meyer
7 Maple Lane
Huntington, NY 11743

Jeff Stroud

391Herrington Hill Rd , Greenwich, NY 12834

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Sincerely,
Jeff Stroud
391Herrington Hill Rd
Greenwich, NY 12834

Fred James

31 Union Square West, 11B , New York, NY 10003-3204

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Sincerely,
Fred James
31 Union Square West, 11B
New York, NY 10003-3204

Kieran Mullins

76 South Bay Drive , Massapequa, NY 11758

April 14, 2006 7:22 AM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
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Kieran Mullins
76 South Bay Drive
Massapequa, NY 11758

Joseph Gardner

14 Lone Oak Drive , Centerport, NY 11721-1419

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Sincerely,
Joseph Gardner
14 Lone Oak Drive
Centerport, NY 11721-1419

John Hyslop

89-15 89th St. , Woodhaven, NY 11421-

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Sincerely,
John Hyslop
89-15 89th St.
Woodhaven, NY 11421-

Jonathan Nash

500 East 83rd Street, #10B , New York, NY 10028

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Sincerely,
Jonathan Nash
500 East 83rd Street, #10B
New York, NY 10028

maureen nipar

292 w 92 st , nyc, NY 10025-

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Sincerely,
maureen nipar
292 w 92 st
nyc, NY 10025-

Tchira Seligman

25-44 Steinway Street, #2R , Astoria, NY 11103

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Tchira Seligman
25-44 Steinway Street, #2R
Astoria, NY 11103

Felicitas Macgilchrist

67 W109th St, Apt B , New York City, NY 10025

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This puts the valuable American ideal of an independent media (the epitome of free speech) to shame.

Sincerely,
Felicitas Macgilchrist
67 W109th St, Apt B
New York City, NY 10025

Matthew Willemain

44 Union Street , Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776

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Sincerely,
Matthew Willemain
44 Union Street
Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776

Francine Tyler

419 W. 48th Street , New York, NY 10036

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Francine Tyler
419 W. 48th Street
New York, NY 10036

Joyce Edward

102 Bellhaven Rd. , Bellport, NY 11713-

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Sincerely,
Joyce Edward
102 Bellhaven Rd.
Bellport, NY 11713-

Thomas Payne

1495 County Rd 8 , Farmington, NY 14425

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Sincerely,
Thomas Payne
1495 County Rd 8
Farmington, NY 14425

Jeannie May

9511 Shore Road , Brooklyn, NY 11209

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Sincerely,
Jeannie May
9511 Shore Road
Brooklyn, NY 11209

Amy Kelly

1088 Joselson Ave , Bay Shore, NY 11706

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Sincerely,
Amy Kelly
1088 Joselson Ave
Bay Shore, NY 11706

Patricia Insogna

241 Scenic Drive , Hagaman, NY 12086

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Patricia Insogna
241 Scenic Drive
Hagaman, NY 12086

patricia farrelly

24 locust ave, Apt. 17 , Islip, NY 11751

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Sincerely,
patricia farrelly
24 locust ave, Apt. 17
Islip, NY 11751

Janet Crozier

1441 York Ave., #4FS , New York, NY 10021

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Fake news is unacceptable - unless we want "advertising" paraded as news.

Do your job. The FCC has the power, use it to stop this deceptive practice.

Sincerely,
Janet Crozier
1441 York Ave., #4FS
New York, NY 10021

Robert Barlow

210 Bog Hollow Rd , Wassaic, NY 12592

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We get enough fake news about the environment and global warming directly from George Bush. Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Robert Barlow
210 Bog Hollow Rd
Wassaic, NY 12592

Carolyn Gonglefski

378 Union St. #2 , Brooklyn, NY 11231

April 14, 2006 6:06 AM

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Sincerely,
Carolyn Gonglefski
378 Union St. #2
Brooklyn, NY 11231

Alex Houben

81 N 7th street , New York, NY 11211

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Please recall the original roll of the FCC, created for the people and not by lobbyists.

Sincerely,
Alex Houben
81 N 7th street
New York, NY 11211

John Makowiec

24 Sunset Road , Wellsburg, NY 14894

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John Makowiec
24 Sunset Road
Wellsburg, NY 14894

Edgar Lynk

29 Ray St. , Niskayuna, NY 12309-5917

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Sincerely,
Edgar Lynk
29 Ray St.
Niskayuna, NY 12309-5917

Michelle Stewart

2006 Amsterdam Ave. 5B , New York, NY 10032

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Sincerely,
Michelle Stewart
2006 Amsterdam Ave. 5B
New York, NY 10032

leslie brack

17 Heintz Rd , Mt Tremper, NY 12457

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Sincerely,
leslie brack
17 Heintz Rd
Mt Tremper, NY 12457

Paige Alenius

400 W 43 St, #12J , New York, NY 10036

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Sincerely,
Paige Alenius
400 W 43 St, #12J
New York, NY 10036

William Peltz

109 Grove Ave. , Albany, NY 12208-3120

April 14, 2006 2:29 AM

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Sincerely,
William Peltz
109 Grove Ave.
Albany, NY 12208-3120

Alan Podber

627 Avenue Y , Brooklyn, NY 11235

April 14, 2006 2:25 AM

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Sincerely,
Alan Podber
627 Avenue Y
Brooklyn, NY 11235

Mary McLeod

21 Claremont Ave., Apt. 71 , New York, NY 10027

April 14, 2006 2:02 AM

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Sincerely,
Mary McLeod
21 Claremont Ave., Apt. 71
New York, NY 10027

Anthony Pennington

9 norwalk lane , selden, NY 11784

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Anthony Pennington
9 norwalk lane
selden, NY 11784

Madelyn Amatulli

7 Wicket Street , Coram, NY 11727

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Sincerely,
Madelyn Amatulli
7 Wicket Street
Coram, NY 11727

David Werner

40 E. 8th St. , Brooklyn, NY 11218

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Dear Sir or MS.:

Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. News based on fact , backed up by solid research is vital to a democracy. TV and radio stations who violate this covenant should lose their licenses. Corporate sponsors shoul be forced to take out full-page ads in the markets they have polluted, acknowledging their "fake news." If they chose not to do so, an escalating tax should be levied on them.

David Werner

Sincerely,
David Werner
40 E. 8th St.
Brooklyn, NY 11218

Eileen Dorann

79-01 35th Avenue , Jackson Heights, NY 11372

April 14, 2006 1:56 AM

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Sincerely,
Eileen Dorann
79-01 35th Avenue
Jackson Heights, NY 11372

Stephanie Secolsky

150 E. 18th St. Apt 12R, New York, NY 10003

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Stephanie Secolsky
150 E. 18th St.
Apt 12R
New York, NY 10003

Ed Phillips

79-01 35th Avenue , Jackson Heights, NY 11372

April 14, 2006 1:52 AM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Andrew Kurzweil

P.O. Box 290601 , Brooklyn, NY 11229

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Sincerely,
Andrew Kurzweil
P.O. Box 290601
Brooklyn, NY 11229

al krause

19 pomander walk , nyc, NY 10025

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Sincerely,
al krause
19 pomander walk
nyc, NY 10025

Frank DeMarco

241 Ave. of the Americas, #11C , New York, NY 10014

April 14, 2006 1:39 AM

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Sincerely,
Frank DeMarco
241 Ave. of the Americas, #11C
New York, NY 10014

R. Potasznik

247 East 77 Street , NY, NY 10021

April 14, 2006 1:32 AM

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Sincerely,
R. Potasznik
247 East 77 Street
NY, NY 10021

Sherie Helstien

625 Main St. #743, New York, NY 10044-

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What a cheap shot. Shame on these stations and shame on the FCC if it does not gain control of this deception and bring a halt to it.

One could only hope that the FCC's super diligence controlling language would slip over into controlling and causing the end of "fake" news as described above.

Sincerely,
Sherie Helstien
625 Main St.
#743
New York, NY 10044-

renata dobryn

6 Spruce Ln. , Montauk, NY 11954-0897

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renata dobryn
6 Spruce Ln.
Montauk, NY 11954-0897

Paula Fleshman

P.O. Box 7052 , New York, NY 10116

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It is appalling yet unfortunately not surprising that news stations are resorting to deceptive, sensationalistic tactics to bring not the news but opinions and infomercials to the public. How can these news companies call themselves "award-winning"?

I call on the FCC to take swift and severe action on these stations that clearly take pleasure in deceiving the public.

Sincerely,
Paula Fleshman
P.O. Box 7052
New York, NY 10116

walter heim

74 pleasantview drive , central islip, NY 11722

April 14, 2006 1:04 AM

Federal Communications Commission
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Sincerely,
walter heim
74 pleasantview drive
central islip, NY 11722

susan gair

382 cpw , new york, NY 10025-6037

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Sincerely,
susan gair
382 cpw
new york, NY 10025-6037

Fabio Franchini

15 Wyandotte Street , Selden, NY 11784

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Fabio Franchini
15 Wyandotte Street
Selden, NY 11784

Steve Hawes

3620 Irwin Av , ny, NY 10463

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Reliable and independent news and media is vital to our lives and democracy. VNRs act directly against these ideals. They are sheer deception ... corporate advertising disguised as news. Please act to keep NYC free from fake "news."

Sincerely,
Steve Hawes
3620 Irwin Av
ny, NY 10463

Melody Blackmore

646 Indian Carry Rd , Tupper Lake, NY 12986

April 14, 2006 12:51 AM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
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Subject: Mislead and used: News viewers in New York

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Please act immediately to prevent misleading and commercialized news in New York.

Sincerely,
Melody Blackmore
646 Indian Carry Rd
Tupper Lake, NY 12986

Diana K Rosenberg

100 La Salle St 6A , New York, NY 10027

April 14, 2006 12:44 AM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Diana K Rosenberg
100 La Salle St 6A
New York, NY 10027

Kevin Healy

24 E 7th St , Brooklyn, NY 11215

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Sincerely,
Kevin Healy
24 E 7th St
Brooklyn, NY 11215

John Bucki

2001 Main , Buffalo, NY 14208

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Sincerely,
John Bucki
2001 Main
Buffalo, NY 14208

Louis Lopez

90-01 Hollis Court Blvd. , Queens Village, NY 11428

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Sincerely,
Louis Lopez
90-01 Hollis Court Blvd.
Queens Village, NY 11428

Gayle Cronin

355 adams street , bedford, NY 10507

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Sincerely,
Gayle Cronin
355 adams street
bedford, NY 10507

jason coppola

531 e6 st. , new york, NY 10009

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Sincerely,
jason coppola
531 e6 st.
new york, NY 10009

George Bourous

26-36 14th St. , Astoria, NY 11102-3719

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George Bourous
26-36 14th St.
Astoria, NY 11102-3719

Katherine Gleason

199 East 7th Street 2D , New York, NY 10009

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Sincerely,
Katherine Gleason
199 East 7th Street 2D
New York, NY 10009

413-585-8904

Jeff Woodman

410 East 65th Street #6- i, New York, NY 10021

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Sincerely,
Jeff Woodman
410 East 65th Street
#6- i
New York, NY 10021

Michael Diamond

PO BOX 286766 , New York, NY 10128

April 14, 2006 12:11 AM

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Sincerely,
Michael Diamond
PO BOX 286766
New York, NY 10128

Virginia Wing

354 East 89th Street, #2F , New York, NY 10128

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Sincerely,
Virginia Wing
354 East 89th Street, #2F
New York, NY 10128

Bethany Butler

112 South Main St. , Perry, NY 14530-

April 14, 2006 12:05 AM

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As an observant person, I am able to distinguish commercially sponsored "news", but others, especially children, are not aware of the deception, nor that they should be concerned. This practice is a theft of our airspace. We need to be able to rely on providers of information to at least have a minimal understanding of what is and is not, obviously, decent behavior and practice. For this deceit to have ever been permitted by anyone is beyond my ability to comprehend. I'll thank you to follow through on important matters, such as this, and, I might add, stop spending so much time trying to police people for matters of "decency", which becomes a vague and nearly impossible to define term as it is applied to people's chosen entertainment. Please be intelligent enough to know the difference, and what is truly more threatening to Americans.

Sincerely,
Bethany Butler
112 South Main St.
Perry, NY 14530-

Josephine Girardin

27 Reilly Street , West Islip, NY 11795

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Sincerely,
Josephine Girardin
27 Reilly Street
West Islip, NY 11795

Marie Duryea

108 Laurel Ct. , Northport, NY 11768-

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Sincerely,
Marie Duryea
108 Laurel Ct.
Northport, NY 11768-

Miriam Lawrence

115 E. 9 St. , New York, NY 10003

April 13, 2006 11:57 PM

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Sincerely,
Miriam Lawrence
115 E. 9 St.
New York, NY 10003

todd bennett

53 St. nicholas ave 1e, new york, NY 10026-

April 13, 2006 11:44 PM

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. Now that we have been made aware of the practice, we, the concerned public, will not let up.

Sincerely,
todd bennett
53 St. nicholas ave
1e
new york, NY 10026-

Karen Backstein

649 East 14th Street #11H , New York, NY 10009

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Sincerely,
Karen Backstein
649 East 14th Street #11H
New York, NY 10009

Greta Niu

28 Arlington St , Rochester, NY 14607

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. I have been discussing "video news releases" this semester as I am teaching a media studies class at the University of Rochester. I would like to be able to tell my 58 students that the FCC is indeed serving the public.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,
Greta Niu
28 Arlington St
Rochester, NY 14607

Junko Kanamura

1116 E. Delavan Ave. , Buffalo, NY 14215

April 13, 2006 11:35 PM

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Carolyn Nisinson

59 South Portland Ave. , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Sincerely,
Carolyn Nisinson
59 South Portland Ave.
Brooklyn, NY 11217

a martinov

1452 83rd street , brooklyn, NY 10001-

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a martinov
1452 83rd street
brooklyn, NY 10001-

luis vega

1212 loring ave. 4g, brooklyn, NY 11208-5047

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Arnold Weinstein

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464 Park Ave
Yonkers, NY 10703

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Beverly Gordon gordon

20 W.64 St. , N.Y., NY 10023

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20 W.64 St.
N.Y., NY 10023

Judith Schultz

PO Box 372 , Round Top, NY 12473

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Judith Schultz
PO Box 372
Round Top, NY 12473

Sandra Fischer

16 Perry Ave , White Plains, NY 10603-9998

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20 Pratt St. , New Rochelle, NY 10801

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20 Pratt St.
New Rochelle, NY 10801

Patrick Kline

6906 Bonnie Ridge Dr Apt T-2 , Baltimore, MD 21209

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Patrick Kline
6906 Bonnie Ridge Dr Apt T-2
Baltimore, MD 21209

Michael Sammon

29 Tibbetts Rd. , Yonkers, NY 10705-

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Sincerely,
Michael Sammon
29 Tibbetts Rd.
Yonkers, NY 10705-

Malcolm Steinberg

1189 Warburton Ave , Yonkers, NY 10701-1002

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Sincerely,
Malcolm Steinberg
1189 Warburton Ave
Yonkers, NY 10701-1002

Ellen Spilka

313 Sterling Place , Brooklyn, NY 11238

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We want and expect real news, written and reported by journalists, not corporate hacks.

Sincerely,
Ellen Spilka
313 Sterling Place
Brooklyn, NY 11238

John Sanderson

412 E 55 Street #4A , New York, NY 10022

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Journalism is supposed to have integrity. The FCC has 'integrity' if someone's boob is exposed. Why not if someone lies? Deception in any guise is a lie, no? Some people sometimes lie in private life, but that's not what journalism or public life is supposed to be about. Is the FCC by inaction willing to promote lying in our culture?

Sincerely,
John Sanderson
412 E 55 Street #4A
New York, NY 10022

Nick Yang

2133 E. 74 St. , Brooklyn, NY 11234/6203

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Nick Yang
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Brooklyn, NY 11234/6203

Shirley Southwick

PO BOX 212 , Friendship, NY 14739

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Sincerely,
Shirley Southwick
PO BOX 212
Friendship, NY 14739

michael korotitsch

1224 Third St. Suite 2, Rensselaer, NY 12144

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Suite 2
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David Gilbert

103 Grandview Ave , Nanuet, NY 10954

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The media must be kept to honest practices and not allowed to be a broker for advertising interests. Stop the phony news.

Sincerely,
David Gilbert
103 Grandview Ave
Nanuet, NY 10954

Mary beaty

576 Henry Street 3 , Brooklyn, NY 11231

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Stopt these stations from presenting fake infomercials as news.

Sincerely,
Mary beaty
576 Henry Street 3
Brooklyn, NY 11231

Diane Mason

535 West 23 St. , New York, NY 10011

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Sincerely,
Diane Mason
535 West 23 St.
New York, NY 10011

Lisa Snow

2929 Bainbridge Ave. Apt. 2H, Bronx, NY 10458

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Sincerely,
Lisa Snow
2929 Bainbridge Ave.
Apt. 2H
Bronx, NY 10458

Patrick Luzzi

50 Delaware Road , Yonkers, NY 10710-3426

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Patrick Luzzi
50 Delaware Road
Yonkers, NY 10710-3426

Jerry Mastriano

718 Burns Street , Forest Hills, NY 11375-6134

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718 Burns Street
Forest Hills, NY 11375-6134

Gernot Huber

206 N. Titus Ave , Ithaca, NY 14850

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Sincerely,
Gernot Huber
206 N. Titus Ave
Ithaca, NY 14850

m. gILPIN

16 e 23 sT , ny, NY 10010

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Sincerely,
m. gILPIN
16 e 23 sT
ny, NY 10010

Naomi Basner

140 Warren Street , Brooklyn, NY 11201

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Sincerely,
Naomi Basner
140 Warren Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Isabel Sena

34-38 85th Street , Jackson Heights, NY 11372-3242

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Isabel Sena
34-38 85th Street
Jackson Heights, NY 11372-3242

Celeste Jamerson

411 Westchester Ave. , Port Chester, NY 10573

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Celeste Jamerson
411 Westchester Ave.
Port Chester, NY 10573

Kenneth Feiner

838 West End Ave. , New York, NY 10025

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Sincerely,
Kenneth Feiner
838 West End Ave.
New York, NY 10025

Michael sexton

8367 Co. Rd. 40 , bolivar, NY 14715

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Sincerely,
Michael sexton
8367 Co. Rd. 40
bolivar, NY 14715

Aline Maus

P.O. Box 2984 , Southampton, NY 11969

April 13, 2006 10:35 PM

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Joe Dobrowolski

565 29th Avenue , San Francisco, CA 94121

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565 29th Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94121

Julio Sierra

P.O.Box 292 Jerome Station, Bronx, NY 10468-0292

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Julio Sierra
P.O.Box 292
Jerome Station
Bronx, NY 10468-0292

Paul & Monica Shelmandine

2004 Clifton Park Rd , Niskayuna, NY 12309

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Sincerely,
Paul %pa_first_name% Monica Shelmandine
2004 Clifton Park Rd
Niskayuna, NY 12309

Suzanne Rodgers

169 Huntington Hills , Rochester, NY 14622-1121

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Sincerely,
Suzanne Rodgers
169 Huntington Hills
Rochester, NY 14622-1121

Holly Koenig

345 Cherry Place , East Meadow, NY 11554

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Sincerely,
Holly Koenig
345 Cherry Place
East Meadow, NY 11554

KATHRYN SESSELMAN

3 PLANK RD , PORTER CORNERS, NY 12859

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KATHRYN SESSELMAN
3 PLANK RD
PORTER CORNERS, NY 12859

David Quintana

9318 103rd Avenue , Ozone Park, NY 11417-3114

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9318 103rd Avenue
Ozone Park, NY 11417-3114

Jack Hickey

7 South Court , Scotia, NY 12302

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Jack Hickey
7 South Court
Scotia, NY 12302

m Zinner

362 4th St , Brooklyn, NY 11215

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Sincerely,
m Zinner
362 4th St
Brooklyn, NY 11215

Peter Schonbachler schonbachler

po box 306 , aurora, NY 13026

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Sincerely,
Peter Schonbachler schonbachler
po box 306
aurora, NY 13026

Brent Richards

8 Banks Court P.O. Box 643, East Hampton, NY 11937-0501

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East Hampton, NY 11937-0501

Julia Koberlein

13 Erie Street South , Macedon, NY 14502

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Sincerely,
Julia Koberlein
13 Erie Street South
Macedon, NY 14502

Maggie Fortune

PO Box 2121 NMS , Niagara Falls, NY 14301

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Sincerely,
Maggie Fortune
PO Box 2121 NMS
Niagara Falls, NY 14301

Stephen O'Connor

533 w 112 st #4A , New York, NY 10025

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Stephen O'Connor
533 w 112 st #4A
New York, NY 10025

Denise LaRossa

115 Van Voorhis Ave. , Rochester, NY 14617

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Rochester, NY 14617

joan odes

83A sheldon hill rd. P. O. Box 1322, olivebridge, NY 12461

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83A sheldon hill rd.
P. O. Box 1322
olivebridge, NY 12461

Adam Teller

16 Carolina Court , Staten Island, NY 10314

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Adam Teller
16 Carolina Court
Staten Island, NY 10314

bill costine

108 ROMBOUT AVENUE , beacon, NY 12508

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bill costine
108 ROMBOUT AVENUE
beacon, NY 12508

Leah Gitter

106 Spring Street , New York, NY 10012-

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Leah Gitter
106 Spring Street
New York, NY 10012-

julian brightman

143 w 69 , new york, NY 10023-

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143 w 69
new york, NY 10023-

Peggy Boyd

2429 Bigelow Lane , Baldwinsville, NY 13027

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Not to mention Free speech!

Is the FCC working for us or the faciests who run the Government and the Cooperations?

Sincerely,
Peggy Boyd
2429 Bigelow Lane
Baldwinsville, NY 13027

Jeremy Schneider

15 Donna Street , New City, NY 10956

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Sincerely,
Jeremy Schneider
15 Donna Street
New City, NY 10956

Carlos Cunha

54 Park Drive , Rocky Point, NY 11778

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I wrote last week because of my concern. Now I have learned this is especially a problem in New York (Buffalo, Syracuse, and my region of NYC). Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Carlos Cunha
54 Park Drive
Rocky Point, NY 11778

Arlen Dean Snyder

4580 Broadway Studio 4-F, New York City, NY 10040-2114

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Sincerely,
Arlen Dean Snyder
4580 Broadway
Studio 4-F
New York City, NY 10040-2114

Carolyn Steinhoff

120 Ocean Parkway #5C , Brooklyn, NY 11218

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Sincerely,
Carolyn Steinhoff
120 Ocean Parkway #5C
Brooklyn, NY 11218

ken reiman

72 eagle ln , hauppauge, NY 11788-

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Sincerely,
ken reiman
72 eagle ln
hauppauge, NY 11788-

julie takatsch

67 schoolhouse rd , port jervis, NY 12771

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Sincerely,
julie takatsch
67 schoolhouse rd
port jervis, NY 12771

Bill Hanley

1233-39 Melville Rd. , Farmingdale, NY 11735

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Sincerely,
Bill Hanley
1233-39 Melville Rd.
Farmingdale, NY 11735

Jen Senko

2 King St. , NY, NY 10012

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Sincerely,
Jen Senko
2 King St.
NY, NY 10012

B Merritt

34-41 Linden Pl, 4G Bldg #4, Flushing, NY 11354

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B Merritt
34-41 Linden Pl, 4G
Bldg #4
Flushing, NY 11354

Rosellen McFarland

4117 David Rd. , Painted Post, NY 14870

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Sincerely,
Rosellen McFarland
4117 David Rd.
Painted Post, NY 14870

I Horowitz

P.O. Box 1295 , New York, NY 1009

April 13, 2006 9:38 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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I Horowitz
P.O. Box 1295
New York, NY 1009

Paul tick

56 lawn ave , albany, NY 12054-

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Sincerely,
Paul tick
56 lawn ave
albany, NY 12054-

William Opperman

20 Stormy View , Ithaca, NY 14850

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Sincerely,
William Opperman
20 Stormy View
Ithaca, NY 14850

Steven Greechie

sgrechie@pipeline.com 215 East 15th Street, New York, NY 10003-

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I write as a Quaker.

Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Matters concerning the media are first priority in terms of retaining civil liberties, and fake news is a serious danger.

Sincerely,
Steven Greechie
sgrechie@pipeline.com
215 East 15th Street
New York, NY 10003-

Nick Tanis

53 St. Marks Pl. , NYC, NY 10003

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A democracy cannot subsist on lies and deception. When I was a child, George Washington's "I cannot tell a lie" and Abe Lincoln's nickname of Honest Abe, were held up as ideals to live up to. With all this talk about going back to the Founding Fathers let's go back to the beginnings of Freedom of the Press and remember John Peter Zenger. If our troops are truly sacrificing themselves to bring democracy to the Middle East, let's keep the truth in front of us as the truth is the keystone to democracy.

Sincerely,
Nick Tanis
53 St. Marks Pl.
NYC, NY 10003

mary ferguson

269 Kitchawan Rd. , South Salem, NY 10590

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Sincerely,
mary ferguson
269 Kitchawan Rd.
South Salem, NY 10590

Richard Wollmann

19 bonticou view dr. , New Paltz, NY 12561

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Richard Wollmann
19 bonticou view dr.
New Paltz, NY 12561

charles kohn

405 High Street , port jefferson, NY 1777-1809

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Sincerely,
charles kohn
405 High Street
port jefferson, NY 1777--1809

Leo Ahumada

150-35 33rd. Ave. , Flushing, NY 11354-3258

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Flushing, NY 11354-3258

Tom Sims

430 New Salem Road , Kingston, NY 12401-8819

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Sincerely,
Tom Sims
430 New Salem Road
Kingston, NY 12401-8819

joseph dimartino

207 vernlane , cheektowaga, NY 14227-1411

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Sincerely,
joseph dimartino
207 vernlane
cheektowaga, NY 14227-1411

Howard Siegel

92 Van Cortlandt Park South , Bronx, NY 10463

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92 Van Cortlandt Park South
Bronx, NY 10463

Wendy Cohen

136 Amity Street , Brooklyn, NY 11201

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Sincerely,
Wendy Cohen
136 Amity Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Samuel Ranish

2076 20th Lane , 4G , Brooklyn, NY 11214-

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Sincerely,
Samuel Ranish
2076 20th Lane , 4G
Brooklyn, NY 11214-

Harriet K. Cuffaro

170 West 73rd St. , NY, NY 10023

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NY, NY 10023

Sharon Jeter

2261 E Main St , Rochester, NY 14609

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Sincerely,
Sharon Jeter
2261 E Main St
Rochester, NY 14609

Larri Richmond

1139 Ellis Hollow Rd. , ithaca, NY 14850

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Sincerely,
Larri Richmond
1139 Ellis Hollow Rd.
ithaca, NY 14850

Raymond Johnson

P.O. Box 329 #80 Route 9, Chazy, NY 12921-0329

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P.O. Box 329
#80 Route 9
Chazy, NY 12921-0329

Cecily Dell

218 Route 9W , Palisades, NY 10964

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Sincerely,
Cecily Dell
218 Route 9W
Palisades, NY 10964

Ellen Beschler

5 East 51st Street, #4B , New York, NY 10022

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Sincerely,
Ellen Beschler
5 East 51st Street, #4B
New York, NY 10022

joyce herman

87 Hillary Lane , penfield, NY 14526-

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Sincerely,
joyce herman
87 Hillary Lane
penfield, NY 14526-

Frank Cerasuolo

124 W 93rd St , New York, NY 10025-1002

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Sincerely,
Frank Cerasuolo
124 W 93rd St
New York, NY 10025-1002

ammiel schwartz

21 seven oaks la , brewster, NY 10509

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ammiel schwartz
21 seven oaks la
brewster, NY 10509

Sophie Dichter

2 Charlton Street Apt. 3A, New York, NY 10014

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Sincerely, Sophie Dichter 2 Charlton Street NYC 10014

Sincerely,
Sophie Dichter
2 Charlton Street
Apt. 3A
New York, NY 10014

Julian Molinas

110-11 Queens Blvd , Forest Hills, NY 11375

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Sincerely,
Julian Molinas
110-11 Queens Blvd
Forest Hills, NY 11375

Susan Norton

14483 State Route 54 , Hammondsport, NY 14840

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We are counting on the FCC to protect the quality of the news.

We need you to stop the fake news and crack down on this sort of fraud. We are watching.

Thank you ~ !

Sincerely,
Susan Norton
14483 State Route 54
Hammondsport, NY 14840

William Ralston

PO Box 144 , Cooperstown, NY 13326

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Sincerely,
William Ralston
PO Box 144
Cooperstown, NY 13326

Joe Kames

255 County Route 41 , Freehold, NY 12431

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We already have to put up with enough nonsense. Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Joe Kames
255 County Route 41
Freehold, NY 12431

Pamela Hardy

400 East 84th Street, #9B , New York, NY 10028-5608

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Sincerely,
Pamela Hardy
400 East 84th Street, #9B
New York, NY 10028-5608

413-585-8904

Marshall Stackman

75 west end ave apt. C14B , New York, NY 10023

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Sincerely,
Marshall Stackman
75 west end ave apt. C14B
New York, NY 10023

Chris Washington

345 West 58th Street, #11U , New York, NY 10019-1140

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Enough of this nonsense. News is news (which we don't seem to be getting on television and are forced to turn to alternate sources) and fake is fake. And yes, THERE IS A DIFFERENCE.

Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Chris Washington
345 West 58th Street, #11U
New York, NY 10019-1140

Joel Brainard

1316 Ruffner Rd , Niskayuna, NY 12309

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Rachel Riemann Akera

27 Homestead Way , Cropseyville, NY 12052

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Rachel Riemann Akera
27 Homestead Way
Cropseyville, NY 12052

Sharon Gensler

105 India St. , Brooklyn, NY 11222

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Sincerely,
Sharon Gensler
105 India St.
Brooklyn, NY 11222

Alice Bartholomew

415 Wall St , Elmira, NY 14905-2132

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415 Wall St
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Joan Heptig

175-40 Dalny Road , Jamaica,, NY 11432-

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Joan Heptig
175-40 Dalny Road
Jamaica,, NY 11432-

Stephen Mead

108 Pinehurst Ave , Albany, NY 12203

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Stephen Mead
108 Pinehurst Ave
Albany, NY 12203

Noel Wynn

3380 Amboy Rd. , Staten Island, NY 10306-2766

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We dare not tolerate this grievous abuse of the public trust by the news media anywhere in the country, and especially not in one of the largest "markets" on the east coast. We, the listeners, are not a "market", and that's the point. We are, first and foremost, human beings who have been and will continue to be injured by the lies being told to us, particularly in this way. The abuse must be stopped now.

Sincerely,
Noel Wynn
3380 Amboy Rd.
Staten Island, NY 10306-2766

Ted Wilcox

225 Croydon Road , Rochester, NY 14610

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Sincerely,
Ted Wilcox
225 Croydon Road
Rochester, NY 14610

Marcia Cohen

243 Broadway , Hastings-on-Hudson, NY 10706-2904

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Sincerely,
Marcia Cohen
243 Broadway
Hastings-on-Hudson, NY 10706-2904

Charmy Sabigan

13714 Plaza Court Apt. 29, Tampa, FL 33613

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Sincerely,
Charmy Sabigan
13714 Plaza Court
Apt. 29
Tampa, FL 33613

sharon sonders

7907 264 street , glen oaks, NY 11004

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Sincerely,
sharon sonders
7907 264 street
glen oaks, NY 11004

nancy rosenthal

140 West 74th Street , new york, NY 10023-

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Sincerely,
nancy rosenthal
140 West 74th Street
new york, NY 10023-

Richard attanasio

5 Di Rubbo Drive , cortlandt mnr., NY USA, NY 10567

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Sincerely,
Richard attanasio
5 Di Rubbo Drive
cortlandt mnr., NY USA, NY 10567

Gary Kenton

16 Bain Ave. , Poughkeepsie, NY 12601-1808

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Gary Kenton
16 Bain Ave.
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601-1808

Thomas J Rowan

766 Brady Aenue Apt. 635, Bronx, NY 10462

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Sincerely,
Thomas J Rowan
766 Brady Aenue
Apt. 635
Bronx, NY 10462

Patricia Gause

3 Kingsgate Lane , Owego, NY 13827

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Patricia Gause
3 Kingsgate Lane
Owego, NY 13827

Risa Sokolsky

302 Van Ostrand Rd. , Newfield, NY 14867

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Sincerely,
Risa Sokolsky
302 Van Ostrand Rd.
Newfield, NY 14867

Robin Russo

185 Wakefield Ln , Ava, NY 13303

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185 Wakefield Ln
Ava, NY 13303

Vicki Colello

8 Oakwood Drive West , Albany, NY 12205

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Sincerely,
Vicki Colello
8 Oakwood Drive West
Albany, NY 12205

Roberta Doyle

148 Garrison Road , Williamsville, NY 14221

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Roberta Doyle
148 Garrison Road
Williamsville, NY 14221

Nancy Niedzwiecki

P. O. Box 142 , Holland, NY 14080

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Sincerely,
Nancy Niedzwiecki
P. O. Box 142
Holland, NY 14080

Deborah Halloran

p.o. box 223 , Collins Center, NY 14035

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Sincerely,
Deborah Halloran
p.o. box 223
Collins Center, NY 14035

Lynda Leibowitz

57 Crows Nest Rd Apt 3 , Tuxedo Park, NY 10987-4233

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57 Crows Nest Rd Apt 3
Tuxedo Park, NY 10987-4233

Gregory Hoffman

33 Morton Dr. , Amherst, NY 14226

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Sincerely,
Gregory Hoffman
33 Morton Dr.
Amherst, NY 14226

Thomas Reynolds

66 New Salem South Road , Voorheesville, NY 12186-4927

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Thomas Reynolds
66 New Salem South Road
Voorheesville, NY 12186-4927

Chris Brandt

77 E 4 St , New York, NY 10003

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Chris Brandt
77 E 4 St
New York, NY 10003

Timothy Kelley

1825 Riverside Drive , New York, NY 10034-5359

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Sincerely,
Timothy Kelley
1825 Riverside Drive
New York, NY 10034-5359

William Larson

20 Webster St. , Dunkirk, NY 14048-1853

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Sincerely,
William Larson
20 Webster St.
Dunkirk, NY 14048-1853

Paul Horman

87 munro blvd , valley stream, NY 11581-3336

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Paul Horman
87 munro blvd
valley stream, NY 11581-3336

Suzzee Manus

101 Rosewood Pl , Liverpool, NY 13090

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No FAUX news in NY!!!!!!

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Sincerely,
Suzzee Manus
101 Rosewood Pl
Liverpool, NY 13090

Jeffrey Obendorfer

30 Scarlet Lane , Hurleyville, NY 12747

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Sincerely,
Jeffrey Obendorfer
30 Scarlet Lane
Hurleyville, NY 12747

Merri Gelbard

55 Emerson Drive , Great Neck, NY 11023

April 13, 2006 8:05 PM

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
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Merri Gelbard
55 Emerson Drive
Great Neck, NY 11023

raymond quintero

3568 rt 9g , germantown, NY 12526

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Sincerely,
raymond quintero
3568 rt 9g
germantown, NY 12526

Islavens@yahoo.com Slavens

241 Main St. #4 , Sag Harbor, NY 11963

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Sincerely,
Islavens@yahoo.com Slavens
241 Main St. #4
Sag Harbor, NY 11963

Kathlene Ingham

155 Lafayette Avenue , Suffern, NY 10901-

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Kathlene Ingham
155 Lafayette Avenue
Suffern, NY 10901-

Hank Bromley

246 Norwood Ave. , Buffalo, NY 14222-1710

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Hank Bromley
246 Norwood Ave.
Buffalo, NY 14222-1710

John Reinhart

31 East Diane Dr , Keene, NH 03431

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John Reinhart
31 East Diane Dr
Keene, NH 03431

Christopher Tsombanis

43 Hillwood Drive , Huntington Station, NY 11746

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Sincerely,
Christopher Tsombanis
43 Hillwood Drive
Huntington Station, NY 11746

Peter Coleman

58 Shadyside Ave , Staten Island, NY 10309

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Sincerely,
Peter Coleman
58 Shadyside Ave
Staten Island, NY 10309

Arthur Fasolino

8 Delta Dr , New City, NY 10956

April 13, 2006 7:50 PM

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Sincerely,
Arthur Fasolino
8 Delta Dr
New City, NY 10956

Mary Shea

29 Spencer Lane , Stony Brook, NY 11790

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Sincerely,
Mary Shea
29 Spencer Lane
Stony Brook, NY 11790

Cathi Brody

604 Seven Fields Lane , Brewster, NY 10509-

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Sincerely,
Cathi Brody
604 Seven Fields Lane
Brewster, NY 10509-

Zulekha Mehta

84-21 122nd street , Kew Gardens, NY 11415-

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Zulekha Mehta
84-21 122nd street
Kew Gardens, NY 11415-

Gary Vedvik

40 Reitz Parkway , Pittsford, NY 14534-2206

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Sincerely,
Gary Vedvik
40 Reitz Parkway
Pittsford, NY 14534-2206

413-585-8904

Laura Wedemeyer

854 Park Place , Brooklyn, NY 11215-4004

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Sincerely,
Laura Wedemeyer
854 Park Place
Brooklyn, NY 11215-4004

Ethel Silverberg

196 Morton Ave. , Albany, NY 12202

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and fire those on staff who don't know the difference.

Sincerely,
Ethel Silverberg
196 Morton Ave.
Albany, NY 12202

Bradford Solomon

48-23 42nd St. Apt.5K , Sunnyside, NY 11104

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Sincerely,
Bradford Solomon
48-23 42nd St. Apt.5K
Sunnyside, NY 11104

Joan Tadler

45 Melrose Avenue , Lynbrook, NY 11563

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Sincerely,
Joan Tadler
45 Melrose Avenue
Lynbrook, NY 11563

Suzanne La Muniere

825 West End Avenue, #4B , New York, NY 10025

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Sincerely,
Suzanne La Muniere
825 West End Avenue, #4B
New York, NY 10025

Terry Sanders

319 East 50th st, #4B , New York, NY 10022

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Terry Sanders
319 East 50th st, #4B
New York, NY 10022

Ingrid Petricone

202 Gair St , Piermont, NY 10968

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Ingrid Petricone
202 Gair St
Piermont, NY 10968

Julie Parisi Kirby

36 Purdy Hollow Road , Woodstock, NY 12498-

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Sincerely,
Julie Parisi Kirby
36 Purdy Hollow Road
Woodstock, NY 12498-

Richard Amundson

3792 Middle Sodus Rd. , Lyons, NY 14489

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Sincerely,
Richard Amundson
3792 Middle Sodus Rd.
Lyons, NY 14489

gigi gordon

10 wales place , mt vernon, NY 10552

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Sincerely,
gigi gordon
10 wales place
mt vernon, NY 10552

Karen Diefenbach

30 Old Sleepy Hollow Road , Pleasantville, NY 10570

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Sincerely,
Karen Diefenbach
30 Old Sleepy Hollow Road
Pleasantville, NY 10570

brian Moffitt

78 ashland st , rochester, NY 14620

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Sincerely,
brian Moffitt
78 ashland st
rochester, NY 14620

Jeanne Wilhelm

170 East 3rd St., Apt. D , New York, NY 10009-7759

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Sincerely,
Jeanne Wilhelm
170 East 3rd St., Apt. D
New York, NY 10009-7759

Linda Dinowitz

23 Meadow Ave , Medford, NY 11763

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Sincerely,
Linda Dinowitz
23 Meadow Ave
Medford, NY 11763

Madeline Nomberg

103 East 86th street , NY, NY 10028

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Sincerely,
Madeline Nomberg
103 East 86th street
NY, NY 10028

Marc Beschler

5 East 51st Street, #4A , New York, NY 10022

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Our nation has already suffered and continues to suffer from a lack of separation of corporation and state. They already use the mainstream media to entrance the public enough as it is. If the news is allowed to be further corrupted, hope for a better future becomes ever more elusive.

Sincerely,
Marc Beschler
5 East 51st Street, #4A
New York, NY 10022

judy hildebrand

66 sommers road , north branch, NY 12766

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Sincerely,
judy hildebrand
66 sommers road
north branch, NY 12766

Martin Scherzinger

26 Gibbs Sttreet , Rochester, NY 14604-

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Martin Scherzinger
26 Gibbs Sttreet
Rochester, NY 14604-

Ann Norton

666 St. George Avenue , North Babylon, NY 11703-

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1910 Foster Ave , brooklyn, NY 11230-1902

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brooklyn, NY 11230-1902

Jeff Schwartz

82-61 165th Street , Jamaica, NY 11432

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Jamaica, NY 11432

Jill Nicholas

45 Oak Hill Terrace , Penfield, NY 14526

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Jill Nicholas
45 Oak Hill Terrace
Penfield, NY 14526

Dolores Ehlen

252 Sunset Blvd , Sylvan Beach, NY 13157

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Sincerely,
Dolores Ehlen
252 Sunset Blvd
Sylvan Beach, NY 13157

R. & V. Fenwick

wolfvir9@webtv.net PO B0x 2011, Hyde Park, NY 12538-

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R. %pa_first_name% V. Fenwick
wolfvir9@webtv.net
PO B0x 2011
Hyde Park, NY 12538-

terah jackson

10506 mill road , medina, NY 14103

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terah jackson
10506 mill road
medina, NY 14103

Ruth Knoblauch

11 Weathervane Way , Warwick, NY 10990-4242

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11 Weathervane Way
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Judy Kropf

11 Lake Celeste Drive , Garrison, NY 10524

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Judy Kropf
11 Lake Celeste Drive
Garrison, NY 10524

Judson Pewther

173 Elizabeth St., Apt 2 , New York, NY 10012

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173 Elizabeth St., Apt 2
New York, NY 10012

Judith Feldman

60 East 9th Street #310 , New York, NY 10003-

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Sincerely,
Paul Cuff
35 Pine Knoll Dr.
Rochester, NY 14624

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po box 320 , NY, NY 10013-

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Sincerely,
olive ayhens
po box 320
NY, NY 10013-

Maureen Carroll

291 Madison Ave , Cedarhurst, NY 11516-1151

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Maureen Carroll
291 Madison Ave
Cedarhurst, NY 11516-1151

Andrew Warner

115 Central Park West , New York, NY 10023

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Patrick Carroll
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Karen Stamm

366 Broadway , New York, NY 10013

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Karen Stamm
366 Broadway
New York, NY 10013

Michael Hiding

110 Union Street Apt.13, Schenectady, NY 12305

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Michael Hiding
110 Union Street
Apt.13
Schenectady, NY 12305

Hope Baird

3451 Potter Rd. , Interlaken, NY 14847-9673

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Darcy Hector

6940 108th Street, #6F , Forest Hills, NY 11375

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Sincerely,

Darcy Hector

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Darcy Hector
6940 108th Street, #6F
Forest Hills, NY 11375

Sue Harris

1212 Shannon Ave. , Elmira, NY 14904

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Elmira, NY 14904

Richard Perras

15 Marville Drive , Albany, NY 12211-

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Richard Perras
15 Marville Drive
Albany, NY 12211-

Judy Allen

24 Seifert Lane , Putnam Valley, NY 10579

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Judy Allen
24 Seifert Lane
Putnam Valley, NY 10579

John Goodman

459 West 49th ST #5E , New York, NY 10019

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John Goodman
459 West 49th ST #5E
New York, NY 10019

Thomas Torma

921 VanBuren St. , Baldwin, NY 11510

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921 VanBuren St.
Baldwin, NY 11510

Arthur Robbins

325 West End Ave. , New York, NY 10023

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Sincerely,
Arthur Robbins
325 West End Ave.
New York, NY 10023

Jeffrey Quinn

403 Sierra Vista Lane , Valley Cottage, NY 10989

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Sincerely,
Jeffrey Quinn
403 Sierra Vista Lane
Valley Cottage, NY 10989

Caroline Gallagher

75-02 Austin Street , Forest Hills, NY 11375

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Sincerely,
Caroline Gallagher
75-02 Austin Street
Forest Hills, NY 11375

Judith Wyman

PO Box 44 , Chichester, NY 12416-0044

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Chichester, NY 12416-0044

Eileen Gottschalk

430 Clover St. , ROCHESTER, NY 14610-2227

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Eileen Gottschalk
430 Clover St.
ROCHESTER, NY 14610-2227

Courtney Adams

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Marco Pereira

2828 29th Street D12 , Astoria, NY 11102

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Sincerely,
Marco Pereira
2828 29th Street D12
Astoria, NY 11102

Rebecca Flint

1105 Green Street , Au Sable Forks, NY 12912

April 13, 2006 6:34 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Good grief! This is unbelievable! Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Rebecca Flint
1105 Green Street
Au Sable Forks, NY 12912

Dave Sokol

130 West 75th St , New York, NY 10023

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Sincerely,
Dave Sokol
130 West 75th St
New York, NY 10023

Estelle Levy

150 West 96th Street 14G , New York City, NY 10025-6487 Afghanistan

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STOP IT NOW

Sincerely,
Estelle Levy
150 West 96th Street 14G
New York City, NY 10025-6487

Duane Shadduck

1123 Ovid Street , Elmira, NY 14901

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1123 Ovid Street
Elmira, NY 14901

Nydia Leaf

46 west 95 Street , New York, NY 10025

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Sincerely,
Nydia Leaf
46 west 95 Street
New York, NY 10025

Fred Karpoff

612 Bradford Parkway , Syracuse, NY 13224-2002

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Sincerely,
Fred Karpoff
612 Bradford Parkway
Syracuse, NY 13224-2002

INDIA GRAY

30 VANDEBOGART RD. , WOODSTOCK, NY 12498

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If it violates FCC regulations for a news show to air corporate press releases as news, then the FCC should enforce its' regulations and take appropriate action against those news shows.

Sincerely,
INDIA GRAY
30 VANDEBOGART RD.
WOODSTOCK, NY 12498

DAvid Stein

122 Duane St. , New York, NY 10007

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Sincerely,
DAvid Stein
122 Duane St.
New York, NY 10007

angus gilchrist

67 rockwood drive #29a , middletown, NY 10941-1094

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67 rockwood drive #29a
middletown, NY 10941-1094

Linda Miller-Roseman

10 Tiger Lane , Center Moriches, NY 11934-3215

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Sincerely,
Linda Miller-Roseman
10 Tiger Lane
Center Moriches, NY 11934-3215

Steven Babcock

2178 Rt. 91 , Fabius, NY 13063

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Sincerely, Steve Babcock 2178 Rt. 91 Fabius, NY 13063

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Steven Babcock
2178 Rt. 91
Fabius, NY 13063

Fred White

Old Pascack Road , Pearl River, NY 10965

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Please act immediately to stop fake, misleading and possibly dangerous news in New York. Especially as regards drug related findings, particularly when they are marketing by-products from manufacturers of the products being reported. They should be identified as such. People should not be led to believe that these product studies are from independant sources.

Sincerely, Fred White Okd Pascack Rd PR, NY

Sincerely,
Fred White
Old Pascack Road
Pearl River, NY 10965

James Schmitt

142 W. Mombasha Rd. , Monroe, NY 10950

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Sincerely,
James Schmitt
142 W. Mombasha Rd.
Monroe, NY 10950

anna navarro

537 W. 59th. St 537 West 59th. St., NY, NY 10019

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anna navarro
537 W. 59th. St
537 West 59th. St.
NY, NY 10019

Michael Graves

PO Box 328 , Nyack, NY 10960

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Sincerely,
Michael Graves
PO Box 328
Nyack, NY 10960

Marlena Lange

23 Royce Ave. , Middletown, NY 10940-4708

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Sincerely,
Marlena Lange
23 Royce Ave.
Middletown, NY 10940-4708

Stephen Czapla

165 Garner Ave rear cottage, Buffalo, NY 14213

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Sincerely,
Stephen Czapla
165 Garner Ave
rear cottage
Buffalo, NY 14213

Mike James

5527 Taormina Drive , Clay, NY 13041-

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Sincerely,
Mike James
5527 Taormina Drive
Clay, NY 13041-

Curtis Jewell

77 Lorraine Terrace , Mt. Vernon, NY 10553

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Sincerely,
Curtis Jewell
77 Lorraine Terrace
Mt. Vernon, NY 10553

Mark Creighton

434 Palmer Rd , East Greenbush, NY 12061

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Sincerely,
Mark Creighton
434 Palmer Rd
East Greenbush, NY 12061

nora crain

47Lower 27 Knolls RD. , High Falls, NY 12440

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Sincerely,
nora crain
47Lower 27 Knolls RD.
High Falls, NY 12440

Michael Levy

139 Southdown Road , Huntington, NY 11743

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Sincerely,
Michael Levy
139 Southdown Road
Huntington, NY 11743

Daniel Piccolo

441 Claybourne Rd , Rochester, NY 14618

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Sincerely,
Daniel Piccolo
441 Claybourne Rd
Rochester, NY 14618

Susan Draper

655 Carroll St. , Brooklyn, NY 11215-2001

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Sincerely,
Susan Draper
655 Carroll St.
Brooklyn, NY 11215-2001

James van Maanen

3421 80th St., #41 , Jackson Heights, NY 11372-2745

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Sincerely,
James van Maanen
3421 80th St., #41
Jackson Heights, NY 11372-2745

Dana Riell

2124 Ferguson Street , Schenectady, NY 12303

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Sincerely,
Dana Riell
2124 Ferguson Street
Schenectady, NY 12303

Sauna Trenkle

25 Cumming Street , New York, NY 10034

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This behavior violates the law and should be discontinued immediately.

Sincerely,
Sauna Trenkle
25 Cumming Street
New York, NY 10034

Sarah Apfel

201 East 17th ST. #23-J , New York, NY 10003

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Sarah Apfel
201 East 17th ST. #23-J
New York, NY 10003

Charlotte Baltus

41 Belmont St. , Rochester, NY 14620

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Sincerely,
Charlotte Baltus
41 Belmont St.
Rochester, NY 14620

Randy Howk

42 W56 Street 4b , New York, NY 10019

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Randy Howk
42 W56 Street 4b
New York, NY 10019

Donna Mummary

67 Village Trail , Honeoye Falls, NY 14472-1037

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. Stations are using public airwaves and have a responsibility to provide the public with accurate information or else to identify its source if it is produced from a particular point of view.

Sincerely,
Donna Mummary
67 Village Trail
Honeoye Falls, NY 14472-1037

Ruth Tuft

139 West 19 Street , New York, NY 10011

April 13, 2006 5:57 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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Sincerely,
Ruth Tuft
139 West 19 Street
New York, NY 10011

Regina Gradess

99 Hillside Avenue 6-J , New York, NY 10040

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Regina Gradess
99 Hillside Avenue 6-J
New York, NY 10040

Robert Franza

296 Lake Ave. , St. James, NY 11780

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296 Lake Ave.
St. James, NY 11780

Pamela Quattrini

1073 Ridge Rd. , Horseheads, NY 14845

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Sincerely,
Pamela Quattrini
1073 Ridge Rd.
Horseheads, NY 14845

Dan Winikur

149 Prospect Pl Apt 6, Brooklyn, NY 11238

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Sincerely,
Dan Winikur
149 Prospect Pl
Apt 6
Brooklyn, NY 11238

diana mackown

p.o.box 13 , ellington, NY 14732

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no more deception!

Sincerely,
diana mackown
p.o.box 13
ellington, NY 14732

Jane Schreiber

249 Classon Avenue - 1L , Brooklyn, NY 11205

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Sincerely,
Jane Schreiber
249 Classon Avenue - 1L
Brooklyn, NY 11205

Roberta Belulovich

865 West End Avenue #10D , New York, NY 10025-8406

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Sincerely,
Roberta Belulovich
865 West End Avenue #10D
New York, NY 10025-8406

Janet Binion

PO Box 678 , Bearsville, NY 12409-0678

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Janet Binion
PO Box 678
Bearsville, NY 12409-0678

Roger Shady

132 Front Street Apt.2, Binghamton, NY 13905-3115

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Sincerely,
Roger Shady
132 Front Street
Apt.2
Binghamton, NY 13905-3115

Allison Norfolk

55 Eastern Parkway, #3E , Brooklyn, NY 11238

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Sincerely,
Allison Norfolk
55 Eastern Parkway, #3E
Brooklyn, NY 11238

Frank Gentile

P.O. Box 102 , Hawthorne, NY 105320102

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Its down right poor, illegal practice.

Sincerely,
Frank Gentile
P.O. Box 102
Hawthorne, NY 10532-0102

Brian Boucher

36 Ellwood St C1 , New York, NY 10040

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Brian Boucher
36 Ellwood St C1
New York, NY 10040

Theresa Dasey

299 Lafayette Ave , Buffalo, NY 14213

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Theresa Dasey
299 Lafayette Ave
Buffalo, NY 14213

Holly Poindexter

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Holly Poindexter
213 Warren Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201

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188 Woodbrook Road , White Plains, NY 10605

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Peter Hudiburg

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Sincerely,
Peter Hudiburg
P.O. Box 61
South Plymouth, NY 13844

jking@bestweb.net bosson

1171 Bouerie Lane , Yorktown Heights, NY 10598

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Sincerely,
jking@bestweb.net bosson
1171 Bouerie Lane
Yorktown Heights, NY 10598

413-585-8904

Paul McBride

212 Northview Road West , Ithaca, NY 14850-6042

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Paul McBride
212 Northview Road West
Ithaca, NY 14850-6042

robert Muller

231 Stevens rd , Edmeston, NY 13335-2472

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robert Muller
231 Stevens rd
Edmeston, NY 13335-2472

Susan Picard

111 East 88th Street , New York, NY 10128

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James Swarts

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James Swarts
39 Willard Ave
Rochester, NY 14620-3131

Mary Ellen Grogan

7825 4th Ave., #C1 , Brooklyn, NY 11209-3718

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Mary Ellen Grogan
7825 4th Ave., #C1
Brooklyn, NY 11209-3718

Richard & Sudjai Bentley

Mount Arab, Box 786 , Tupper Lake, NY 12986-0786

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Richard %pa_first_name% Sudjai Bentley
Mount Arab, Box 786
Tupper Lake, NY 12986-0786

Audrey Coughlan

52 Euclid Ave , Ardsley, NY 10502

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52 Euclid Ave
Ardsley, NY 10502

Alfred Scarpinato

48 Albany Turnpike , Old Chatham, NY 12136

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Sincerely,
Alfred Scarpinato
48 Albany Turnpike
Old Chatham, NY 12136

Charles Yuen

218 Smith St. , Brooklyn, NY 11201

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Sincerely,
Charles Yuen
218 Smith St.
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Kate Drennen

57 Prospect Park SW , Brooklyn, NY 11215

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Sincerely,
Kate Drennen
57 Prospect Park SW
Brooklyn, NY 11215

Susan Thuener

218 Rock Hill Road , Mohawk, NY 13407

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Sincerely,
Susan Thuener
218 Rock Hill Road
Mohawk, NY 13407

Sarah Hauck

176 forgham rd , Rochester, NY 14616

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Sincerely,
Sarah Hauck
176 forgham rd
Rochester, NY 14616

GregRi Carsen

39 Woodlawn Avenue , New Rochelle, NY 10804

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Sincerely,
GregRi Carsen
39 Woodlawn Avenue
New Rochelle, NY 10804

Annie Bien

29 Tiffany Place , Brooklyn, NY 11231-1123

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Sincerely,
Annie Bien
29 Tiffany Place
Brooklyn, NY 11231-1123

413-585-8904

THOMAS R. MURPHY-

252-17 44 ave , little neck, NY 11363 1923

April 13, 2006 5:27 PM

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252-17 44 ave
little neck, NY 11363 1923

Karen Gunderson

26 Beaver Street , New York, NY 10004

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26 Beaver Street
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Paul Leib

5 Butterfly Lane , Putnam Valley, NY 10579

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Clyde, NY 14433

Sarah Johnson

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Nyack, NY 10960

Heather McCandless

PO Box 71 , Larkspur, CA 94977

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Larkspur, CA 94977

Lynne Blumenstock

5 Deering Lane , East Rockaway, NY 11518-

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East Rockaway, NY 11518-

Justine M. Pepicelli

142-05 Roosevelt Avenue Apt. 405, Flushing, NY 11354

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Alexandra Brown

166 E 96th St , New York, NY 10128

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Alexandra Brown
166 E 96th St
New York, NY 10128

Joseph Neiman

32-20 89 St. , Jackson Hts., NY 11369

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Joseph Neiman
32-20 89 St.
Jackson Hts., NY 11369

Susan Burns

104 Riverside Drive #4B , New York, NY 10024-

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Sincerely,
Susan Burns
104 Riverside Drive #4B
New York, NY 10024-

Jeff Samanen

411 Manhattan Ave Apt 1L, BROOKLYN, NY 11222

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Sincerely,
Jeff Samanen
411 Manhattan Ave
Apt 1L
BROOKLYN, NY 11222

Ken Lindley

185 St. Marks Avenue , Brooklyn, NY 11238

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Ken Lindley
185 St. Marks Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11238

Stephen Keast

PO Box 105 Hurd Rd, Slaterville Springs, NY 14881

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Sincerely,
Stephen Keast
PO Box 105
Hurd Rd
Slaterville Springs, NY 14881

Kim Hughes

123 7th Ave. #132 , Brooklyn, NY 11215

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Kim Hughes
123 7th Ave. #132
Brooklyn, NY 11215

George Ingalls

91 Riverside Terr. , Blauvelt, NY 10913

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Blauvelt, NY 10913

Sue Hovey

600 Washington St. Apt. 513, New York, NY 10014

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Sincerely,
Sue Hovey
600 Washington St.
Apt. 513
New York, NY 10014

francine brown

630 lenox ave., apt., 17s , new york, NY 10037

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Sincerely,
francine brown
630 lenox ave., apt., 17s
new york, NY 10037

Victoria McFadyen

8414 4th Avenue #D7, Brooklyn, NY 11209

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Sincerely,
Victoria McFadyen
8414 4th Avenue
#D7
Brooklyn, NY 11209

Marc Garber

336 W. 88th St. 2F, New York, NY 10024-2249

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2F
New York, NY 10024-2249

Amy O'Herron

250 Sun Arbor Terrace #1123, Salt Lake City, UT 84116

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Sincerely,
Amy O'Herron
250 Sun Arbor Terrace
#1123
Salt Lake City, UT 84116

elliott lang

13 st. , huntington stn., NY 11746

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elliott lang
13 st.
huntington stn., NY 11746

Michael Mullane

39 Enwright Drive , Fairport, NY 14450

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This is disgusting and goes to the foundation of both these stations, and the FCC's responsibilities.

Please crack down on these broadcasters and let the industry, the American people, and the world, know that truth is not for sale in the U.S.A

Sincerely,
Michael Mullane
39 Enwright Drive
Fairport, NY 14450

nance shatzkin

132 old post road north , croton on hudson, NY 10520

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Sincerely,
nance shatzkin
132 old post road north
croton on hudson, NY 10520

Leona Semizian

79-34 265th street , Floral Park, NY 11004-1323

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Bernard&Virginia MCCULLEN

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53 RAND PLACE
PITTSFORD, NY 14534

Gregg Osofsky

85 Hammertown Road , Pine Plains, NY 12567

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Sincerely,
Gregg Osofsky
85 Hammertown Road
Pine Plains, NY 12567

Martha Deed

1037 Sweeney Street , North Tonawanda, NY 14120

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I believe that by allowing fake news aka unlabelled commercials to appear in this manner actually undermines the independence news organizations are guaranteed under the first amendment.

Thank you.
Martha Deed North Tonawanda, NY

Sincerely,
Martha Deed
1037 Sweeney Street
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Lois Elias

98 Riverside Drive #7F , New York,, NY 10024

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98 Riverside Drive #7F
New York,, NY 10024

TARA WILLIAMS

459 9TH STREET , LIC, NY 11101

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TARA WILLIAMS
459 9TH STREET
LIC, NY 11101

Greg Giorgio

P.O. Box 74 , Altamont,, NY 12009

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Greg Giorgio
P.O. Box 74
Altamont,, NY 12009

daniel friedman

amsterdam avenue , New York, NY 10025

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6057 Gates Ave , Ridgewood, NY 11385

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6057 Gates Ave
Ridgewood, NY 11385

dawn austin

137 W. 67th Street, #4W , New York, NY 10023

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137 W. 67th Street, #4W
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joseph franco

796 park ave , uniondale, NY 11553

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Sally Olds

25 N. Washington St. , PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050

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25 N. Washington St.
PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050

Karen Leader

317 E. 91st St 6C , New York, NY 10128

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What does one do when they truly start feeling like they are living in a science fiction novel? The FCC has no excuse not to PUBLICLY and HARSHLY chastise these stations, and make the rules clear and the penalties explicit for broadcasting propaganda and advertising as news. The FCC spends its time making sure there are conservative voices on PBS and no breasts on the Super Bowl. How about something that truly threatens our democracy--the selling of our airwaves to the highest bidder. Shame on them.

Sincerely,
Karen Leader
317 E. 91st St 6C
New York, NY 10128

Bruce Eyster

1520 Carroll St. , Brooklyn, NY 11213

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The new censorship in news , entertainment and the press is bad enough , now you want to confuse issues even more ?

The September 11th disaster has been a real hardship for all Americans but to use this to further elitist group interests and reduce the hard fought for civil rights is unacceptable. Most Americans have to depend on BBC , Democracy Now and other alternatives to get unbiased , comprehensive information. What kind of action is it going to take to get a message to elected officials and those in power , to understand that "we the people " are tired of being lied to and cheated of the constitutional rights we were born into ?

Sincerely,
Bruce Eyster
1520 Carroll St.
Brooklyn, NY 11213

angela jaggar

50 West Creek Farms Rd , Port Washington, NY 11050

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angela jaggar
50 West Creek Farms Rd
Port Washington, NY 11050

Kate Mereu

459 Broadway , New York, NY 10013

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Sincerely,
Kate Mereu
459 Broadway
New York, NY 10013

Sharon McMenamin

10-43 48th Avenue #2, Long Island City, NY 11101-5607

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NANCY BARRON

18 JOHN DAVES LANE , HUNTINGTON, NY 11743-

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18 JOHN DAVES LANE
HUNTINGTON, NY 11743-

Margaret Gabel

72 Jane St. , New York, NY, NY 10014-

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Bruce Barry

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Joanne Black
865 First Ave
NYC, NY 10017

Elizabeth Woolever

240 Cobb Terrace , Rochester, NY 14620

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Rochester, NY 14620

William Van Wart

11 Loel Court , Rockville Centre, NY 11570

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11 Loel Court
Rockville Centre, NY 11570

Judith L'Heureux

290 Drake Ave , New Rochelle, NY 10805

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Therese Wilson

2066 Mecklenburg Rd. , Ithaca, NY 14850-

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Ithaca, NY 14850-

Cyd Peace

1841 Clark Rd. , Rochester, NY 14625-1615

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While there is no specific listing of any Rochester, NY station in this investigation, I am quite certain that one or more of them use this tactic. There have been a number of incidences where I have thought "this is news? It sounds like a commercial." In the future, I intend to keep track of the station and product being pushed. I expect you too do your part by cracking down on these insidious "reports."

Sincerely,
Cyd Peace
1841 Clark Rd.
Rochester, NY 14625-1615

Anthony Martin Dambrosi

19 Broad Street , Middletown, NY 10940-4003

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It's got to stop.

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Anthony Martin Dambrosi
19 Broad Street
Middletown, NY 10940-4003

Jennifer Lewis

61-25 98th Street , Rego Park. Queens,NY, NY 11374-1419

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barbara upton

po box 955 , new paltz, NY 12561

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new paltz, NY 12561

Theresa Galvin

304 Carroll Street , Brooklyn, NY 11231

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301 e. 48th street apt 14e, new york, NY 10017

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301 e. 48th street
apt 14e
new york, NY 10017

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240 East 27 Street , new york, NY 10016-9258

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Sincerely,
Cathe Giffuni
240 East 27 Street
new york, NY 10016-9258

Carola Polakov

76 Edgecombe Avenue, New York, NY 10030

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Carola Polakov
76 Edgecombe Avenue
New York, NY 10030

Amy Harlib

212 West 22nd St. #2N , New York, NY 10011-2707

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Amy Harlib
212 West 22nd St. #2N
New York, NY 10011-2707

Mary McKeon

270 Searles Rd , Margaretville, NY 12455

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Sincerely,
Mary McKeon
270 Searles Rd
Margaretville, NY 12455

Anthony Tsang Yee

55 West 68th Street Apt. B., Manhattan, NY 10023

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Anthony Tsang Yee
55 West 68th Street
Apt. B.
Manhattan, NY 10023

Nicholas Romano

703 E 133RD ST , Bronx, NY 10454-3425

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Nicholas Romano
703 E 133RD ST
Bronx, NY 10454-3425

Julia Dalton

101 West 80th St, Apt 5A Apt 5A, New York, NY 10024-0024

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Julia Dalton
101 West 80th St, Apt 5A
Apt 5A
New York, NY 10024-0024

jack brown

335 E.6th st , NYC, NY 10003

April 13, 2006 4:21 PM

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Either clearly ID corporate news or ban it.

Sincerely,
jack brown
335 E.6th st
NYC, NY 10003

Lisa Bhattacharji

605 West 111th Street, Apt.43Apt. #43 , New York, NY 10025-

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Sincerely,
Lisa Bhattacharji
605 West 111th Street, Apt.43
Apt. #43
New York, NY 10025-

cliff kobland

106 castle rd , n.syracuse, NY 13212

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Sincerely,
cliff kobland
106 castle rd
n.syracuse, NY 13212

Gary Siegel

73 Chestnut Street , Rhinebeck, NY 12572, NY 12572

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Gary Siegel
73 Chestnut Street
Rhinebeck, NY 12572, NY 12572

Diana Babcock

3840 Makyes Road , Syracuse, NY 13215

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Diana Babcock
3840 Makyes Road
Syracuse, NY 13215

James Parks

393 Tunnel Rd. , Port Crane, NY 13833

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The FCC should make every effort to honor their public trust and go after illegal & deceptive media practices; especially those which are nothing more than government propaganda.

Sincerely,
James Parks
393 Tunnel Rd.
Port Crane, NY 13833

Mary Cora Sangree

304 E 3rd Street , Brooklyn, NY 11218-

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Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York. News is news. Ads are ads. As my fifth grade students can tell you, they are not the same, and it is immoral to try to pass ads off for news. Shame on you for allowing it!

Sincerely,
Mary Cora Sangree
304 E 3rd Street
Brooklyn, NY 11218-

Gerryl E. Puelle

540 East 20th Sreet Apt. 9B, New York, NY 10009-1334

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Denise Murphy

1780 Thelma Avenue , Merrick, NY 11566

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Denise Murphy
1780 Thelma Avenue
Merrick, NY 11566

Edward Paulino

14160 84th road , Briarwood, NY 11435-

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Sincerely,
Edward Paulino
14160 84th road
Briarwood, NY 11435-

Richard Stinson

3244 Betty Brook Road , South Kortright, NY 13842-

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Sincerely,
Richard Stinson
3244 Betty Brook Road
South Kortright, NY 13842-

Boris Nemchyonok

2845 Ocean ave , Brooklyn, NY 11235

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Sincerely,
Boris Nemchyonok
2845 Ocean ave
Brooklyn, NY 11235

mike lipkin

160 columbia hts , brooklyn, NY 11201

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Sincerely,
mike lipkin
160 columbia hts
brooklyn, NY 11201

Sherri Ellis

232 Rachel Carson Way , Ithaca, NY 14850

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Sincerely,
Sherri Ellis
232 Rachel Carson Way
Ithaca, NY 14850

George Kaufer

146 Lakefront Rd. , Putnam Valley, NY 10579

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Sincerely,
George Kaufer
146 Lakefront Rd.
Putnam Valley, NY 10579

Lee Andress

8134 Balsamwood Ln , Liverpool, NY 13090-

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Sincerely,
Lee Andress
8134 Balsamwood Ln
Liverpool, NY 13090-

Eddie Rosenthal

209 Lincoln Pl Apt 7E, Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Their broadcast violates FCC rules and is illegal. While you're at it, increase the penalties.

Sincerely,
Eddie Rosenthal
209 Lincoln Pl
Apt 7E
Brooklyn, NY 11217

barbara hammond

66 west 94th street 5d , new york, NY 10025

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stop fake news in new york ..and any place else where it occurs. It`s a disgrace....commercial propoganda disguised as news.

Sincerely,
barbara hammond
66 west 94th street 5d
new york, NY 10025

Adrian Kringas

147 Webber Avenue , Sleepy Hollow, NY 10591-

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Sincerely,
Adrian Kringas
147 Webber Avenue
Sleepy Hollow, NY 10591-

Grace Yukich

265 15th St. #3 , Brooklyn, NY 11215

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Sincerely,
Grace Yukich
265 15th St. #3
Brooklyn, NY 11215

Helena Kosorek

172 Gifford Rd. , Greenville, NY 12083-

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Sincerely,
Helena Kosorek
172 Gifford Rd.
Greenville, NY 12083-

Deborah Osherow

55 Matthews Lane , Shokan, NY 12481

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Please act immediately to stop all fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Deborah Osherow
55 Matthews Lane
Shokan, NY 12481

Mary attanasio

5 Di Rubbo Drive , cortlandt mn., NY USA, NY 10567-2613

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Sincerely,
Mary attanasio
5 Di Rubbo Drive
cortlandt mn., NY USA, NY 10567-2613

Frederick Bishop

7-24A 160 Street , Whitestone, NY 11357-1328

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Sincerely,
Frederick Bishop
7-24A 160 Street
Whitestone, NY 11357-1328

kafrl healy

3855 laurel ave , bklyn, NY 11224-

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Sincerely,
kafrl healy
3855 laurel ave
bklyn, NY 11224-

Judith Lockwood

3891 Stevens Road , Marcellus, NY 13108-

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Judith Lockwood
3891 Stevens Road
Marcellus, NY 13108-

Judith Boies

11 Hickory Court , East Hampton, NY 11937-

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Sincerely,
Judith Boies
11 Hickory Court
East Hampton, NY 11937-

sylvia winner

110 riverside drive , ny, NY 1024-3732

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Sincerely,
sylvia winner
110 riverside drive
ny, NY 1024--3732

Naomi Seulowitz

26 Downer Ave , Scarsdale, NY 10583

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Fake news is a much more important issue to me than protecting my children from hearing the occasional bad word. Please investigate this problem.

Sincerely,
Naomi Seulowitz
26 Downer Ave
Scarsdale, NY 10583

John Doyle

303 W 11th St 3E, NEW YORK, NY 10014-2392

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Sincerely,
John Doyle
303 W 11th St
3E
NEW YORK, NY 10014-2392

Ilse Funk

238 Mill Rd , Cherry Valley, NY 13320

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238 Mill Rd
Cherry Valley, NY 13320

bertha kriegler

527 plymouth ave , schenectady, NY 12308

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118 N 11TH ST.3RD FLOOR , BROOKLYN, NY 11211

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36 Chestnut Hill
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Michael Kuzma

1315 City Hall , Buffalo, NY 14202

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Michael Kuzma
1315 City Hall
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143 Berkeley Pl. , Brooklyn, NY 11217-

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Sincerely,
Carol Friedland
143 Berkeley Pl.
Brooklyn, NY 11217-

Kate Skolnick

411 W. 115th St. #41, New York, NY 10025

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Kate Skolnick
411 W. 115th St.
#41
New York, NY 10025

James Palladino

4125 Sandbar Lane , Liverpool, NY 13090

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James Palladino
4125 Sandbar Lane
Liverpool, NY 13090

john papandrea

110 west 90 , NEW YORK, NY 10024

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Sincerely,
john papandrea
110 west 90
NEW YORK, NY 10024

gail flanery

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Let's nip it in the bud. Advertisement masquerading as hot news is unconscionable. It's your job to investigate, disclose to the public and enforce penalties against such practices.

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Sincerely,
gail flanery
1137 Hedgewood Lane
Niskayuna, NY 234-0

Rosemary Schumann

1 Jefferson Ferry Dr., #3229 , S. Setauket,, NY 11720

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Rosemary Schumann
1 Jefferson Ferry Dr., #3229
S. Setauket,, NY 11720

Elizabeth McCollum

46 West 83rd St Apt 2A, New York, NY 10024

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michael green

29 Meserole St. 1-B , Brooklyn, NY 11206

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michael green
29 Meserole St. 1-B
Brooklyn, NY 11206

Catherine Parker

33 Berkley Pl. , Buffalo, NY 14209

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33 Berkley Pl.
Buffalo, NY 14209

Katherine Babiak

99 Bank St. , New York, NY 10014-2109

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New York, NY 10014-2109

Guy Hathaway

191 Knollwood Road , Rhinebeck, NY 12572-2359

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Henry Sommers

11 Culver Pkwy , Vestal, NY 13850

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Sincerely,
Henry Sommers
11 Culver Pkwy
Vestal, NY 13850

John Lippincott

94 Forshay Rd , Wesley Hills, NY 10952

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94 Forshay Rd
Wesley Hills, NY 10952

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100 Aladdin Dr. , Fayetteville, NY 13066

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Jonathan Putterman

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17 Tiffany Circle
Manhasset, NY 11030-1103

Nicholas Schwartz

232 E. 13th St. , New York, NY 10003

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Nicholas Schwartz
232 E. 13th St.
New York, NY 10003

Wendy Walker

141 East 88th St Apt. 5 I Apt. 5 I, New York, NY 10128-1012

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Ann Husaini

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Ann Husaini
153 Norfolk Street
#5F
New York, NY 10002

Vanessa Hradsky

162 Washington Park #3 , Brooklyn, NY 11205

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Vanessa Hradsky
162 Washington Park #3
Brooklyn, NY 11205

Daniel Lee

3246 36th St , Astoria, NY 11106

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Daniel Lee
3246 36th St
Astoria, NY 11106

Cindy Berg

382 North Grove St. , Valley Stream, NY 11580

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Sincerely,
Cindy Berg
382 North Grove St.
Valley Stream, NY 11580

Mallika Henry

3 rue Marché des Patriarches , Paris, NY 11418-1265

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Paris, NY 11418-1265

Clarinda Mac Low

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NY, NY 10009

Joan Cole

105-55 62 Drive , Forest Hills, NY 11375-1107

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Sincerely,
Joan Cole
105-55 62 Drive
Forest Hills, NY 11375-1107

Adam Kaplan

236 Elmendorf Street , Kingston, NY 12401-2630

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Sincerely,
Adam Kaplan
236 Elmendorf Street
Kingston, NY 12401-2630

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Thank you. Joel Benton

Sincerely,
Joel Benton
P.O. Box 150
Mt. Tremper, NY 12457-1245

Susan M. Tocha

1560 Homecourt , Alden, NY 14004-1226

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Sincerely,
Susan M. Tocha
1560 Homecourt
Alden, NY 14004-1226

Luis Jerez

106 w. 28 st., 2nd. fl , New York City, NY 10001

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Ana Batista-Negron

2565 East 18th Street , Brooklyn, NY 11235

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Joseph Negron
2565 East 18th Street
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Margo Alexander

5585 Searsburg Rd , Trumansburg, NY 14886

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10 Jones St. Apt. 4H, New York, NY 10014

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Jean Schmidlein

25 Victory St , Middletown, NY 10940

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Jean Schmidlein
25 Victory St
Middletown, NY 10940

Jennifer Mascia

302 east 103rd Street # 2B , NY, NY 10029

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Jennifer Mascia
302 east 103rd Street # 2B
NY, NY 10029

Davi8d Lewitzky

1631 Hertel Ave. Apt. 143, Buffalo, NY 14216-2910

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John Thiesmeyer

901 Serenity Rd , Penn Yan,, NY 14527

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Sincerely,
John Thiesmeyer
901 Serenity Rd
Penn Yan,, NY 14527

Ernest Woodin

166 Hade Hollow Rd. , Cooperstown, NY 13326

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We get enough so called news from "Rush" and the rest of those asses on the radio, we don't need it on TV news casts.

Sincerely,
Ernest Woodin
166 Hade Hollow Rd.
Cooperstown, NY 13326

William Thomas

75 East End Avenue #4C , New York, NY 10028-

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This is not news, it is PR spin disguised as news.

Sincerely,
William Thomas
75 East End Avenue #4C
New York, NY 10028-

jack kashinsky

22d green knolls dr , rochester, NY 14620

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This is a violation of a station's license.

Sincerely,
jack kashinsky
22d green knolls dr
rochester, NY 14620

Susan Gawarecki

146 Hunt Valley Rd. , Oneida, NY 13421

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Susan Gawarecki
146 Hunt Valley Rd.
Oneida, NY 13421

William Webb

6 Ocean Avenue , Mastic, NY 11950-

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William Webb
6 Ocean Avenue
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Amy Shore

29 Avenue B #3B , New York, NY 10009

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Amy Shore
29 Avenue B #3B
New York, NY 10009

Debbi J. Payne

578VanBuskirk Gulf Rd. , Newfield, NY 14867

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Debbi J. Payne
578VanBuskirk Gulf Rd.
Newfield, NY 14867

jean Hoffmann

16 Todd Drive , East hampton, NY 11937

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16 Todd Drive
East hampton, NY 11937

Becky Burcham

20 Quarry Lane , Irvington, NY 10533

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Becky Burcham
20 Quarry Lane
Irvington, NY 10533

jane deeken

265 riversode dr , new york, NY 10025

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jane deeken
265 riversode dr
new york, NY 10025

Shawn Downey

49 Hendrik Hudson Way , Clifton Park, NY 12065

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49 Hendrik Hudson Way
Clifton Park, NY 12065

Emily Feiner

74 Sickles Ave , Nyack, NY 10960-2517

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74 Sickles Ave
Nyack, NY 10960-2517

Bruce Atkins

26 Cayuga St. , Homer, NY 13077-

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Bruce Atkins 26 Cayuga St.
Homer New York 13077

Sincerely,
Bruce Atkins
26 Cayuga St.
Homer, NY 13077-

Steve Weiner

64 MacDougal Street , New York, NY 10012

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Cynthia Squires

7 State St W1 , Oneonta, NY 13820-1390

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Sincerely,
Cynthia Squires
7 State St W1
Oneonta, NY 13820-1390

Michael Kane

100 Old Bay st , peekskill, NY 10566

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Sincerely,
Michael Kane
100 Old Bay st
peekskill, NY 10566

Elizabeth McDermott

4665 Meyer Road , Pendleton, NY 14120

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Sincerely,
Elizabeth McDermott
4665 Meyer Road
Pendleton, NY 14120

Michael Coleman

445 Gramatan Ave. , Mount Vernon, NY 10552

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DO YOUR JOB, FCC !

It's bad enough our government is trying to propagandize Iraq. NOT AMERICA !!

Sincerely,
Michael Coleman
445 Gramatan Ave.
Mount Vernon, NY 10552

George Livesay

147 Snyder Hill Rd. , Ithaca, NY 14850

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Sincerely,
George Livesay
147 Snyder Hill Rd.
Ithaca, NY 14850

M Dunn

18 Post Office Road , waccabuc, NY 10597

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Sincerely,
M Dunn
18 Post Office Road
waccabuc, NY 10597

Nicholas Sammond

1036 Logan Avenue , Toronto, ON M4K 3G1 Canada

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Nicholas Sammond
1036 Logan Avenue
Toronto, ON M4K 3G1

Lawrence Lambert

34 Plaza Street , Brooklyn, NY 11238

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34 Plaza Street
Brooklyn, NY 11238

vero piacentini

4 frankie lane , old bethpage, NY 11804

April 13, 2006 3:03 PM

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445 12th Street SW
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4 frankie lane
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Barbara Rubenstein

242 E. 60th St. , New York, NY 10022

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242 E. 60th St.
New York, NY 10022

Craig Steinberg

PO Box 11 , Manlius, NY 13104

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Sincerely,
Craig Steinberg
PO Box 11
Manlius, NY 13104

bret wills

347 west 36th street , new york, NY 10018

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347 west 36th street
new york, NY 10018

Judith Lorimer

175 W. 73rd St. 10-G , New York, NY 10023

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175 W. 73rd St. 10-G
New York, NY 10023

Walt Rappeport

257 W. 91 Street , New York, NY 10024

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Walt Rappeport
257 W. 91 Street
New York, NY 10024

thomas henry

473 Madison St. Apt. 3, Brooklyn, NY 11221

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thomas henry
473 Madison St.
Apt. 3
Brooklyn, NY 11221

John Lynn

8 Banks Court - PO Box 643 , East Hampton, NY 11937-0501

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Francisca Sabadie

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1 Walworth Avenue
Scarsdale, NY 10583

Colin Offenhartz

87 Valley Lane , Chappaqua, NY 10514

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Jean Merritt

520 W 43 St Apt 2K , New York, NY 10036

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Jean Merritt
520 W 43 St Apt 2K
New York, NY 10036

JERRY F. AHLIN JR.

29 BUSHWICK AVE. 1, BROOKLYN, NY 11211

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JERRY F. AHLIN JR.
29 BUSHWICK AVE.
1
BROOKLYN, NY 11211

Pat Carlson

407 N. Aurora , Ithaca, NY 14850

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Sincerely,
Pat Carlson
407 N. Aurora
Ithaca, NY 14850

John Snyder

470 3rd Street, 4R , Brooklyn, NY 11215-1121

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John Snyder
470 3rd Street, 4R
Brooklyn, NY 11215-1121

steve zimet

868 West End Ave., #5a Suite 1112, new york, NY 10025-

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steve zimet
868 West End Ave., #5a
Suite 1112
new york, NY 10025-

Cat Micheels

405 lake flower Ave , saranac lake, NY 12983

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Cat Micheels
405 lake flower Ave
saranac lake, NY 12983

Vincent Silenzio

17 Beckwith Terrace , Rochester, NY 14610-2801

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17 Beckwith Terrace
Rochester, NY 14610-2801

Frank Emmett

POBox 974 , Shelter Island, NY 11964

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Sincerely,
Frank Emmett
POBox 974
Shelter Island, NY 11964

Dick Corrigan

341 West 71st St , NEW YORK CITY, NY 10023

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Sincerely,
Dick Corrigan
341 West 71st St
NEW YORK CITY, NY 10023

Jeremy Rayner

382 S. 4th St. Apt 5 , Brooklyn, NY 11211-

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Jeremy Rayner
382 S. 4th St. Apt 5
Brooklyn, NY 11211-

John Gilday

244-33 61st. Ave. , Douglaston, NY 11362

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John Gilday
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Douglaston, NY 11362

Barbara Brottman

194 Main Street Yaphank, Yaphank, NY 11980-

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Sincerely,
Barbara Brottman
194 Main Street
Yaphank
Yaphank, NY 11980-

Maria Salazar

4403 8th Avenue 3rd FL, Brooklyn, NY 11220

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Maria Salazar
4403 8th Avenue
3rd FL
Brooklyn, NY 11220

Kristen Kusama

16 Ocean Parkway , Brooklyn, NY 11218

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Kristen Kusama
16 Ocean Parkway
Brooklyn, NY 11218

Francine Savastano

485 1st Avenue Apt 17B, New York, NY 10016-

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Francine Savastano
485 1st Avenue
Apt 17B
New York, NY 10016-

Lynne Beckett

25 Plaza Street West , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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25 Plaza Street West
Brooklyn, NY 11217

kellen quinn

300 hungry hollow rd , Chestnut Ridge, NY 10977

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Sincerely,
kellen quinn
300 hungry hollow rd
Chestnut Ridge, NY 10977

Thomas Marlowe

304 Mary St. , Elmira, NY 14901

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304 Mary St.
Elmira, NY 14901

John Seakwood

P.O. Box 126 , New Lebanon, NY 12125

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Sincerely,
John Seakwood
P.O. Box 126
New Lebanon, NY 12125

Charles Alvarez

85-50 Forest Pkwy Apt 2M , Woodhaven, NY 11421-1142

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Charles Alvarez
85-50 Forest Pkwy Apt 2M
Woodhaven, NY 11421-1142

nancy rybczynski

306 west 93 st., apt.31 , new york, NY 10025-

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Sincerely,
nancy rybczynski
306 west 93 st., apt.31
new york, NY 10025-

Craig DeLancey

210 South Main Street , Fairport, NY 14450

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Sincerely,
Craig DeLancey
210 South Main Street
Fairport, NY 14450

Lisa Cohen

179 Old Post Road North , Croton, NY 10520-1931

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jamie posnak

3308 29th st. 3b , astoria, NY 11106

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Robin Warwick

153 W 119th St , New York, NY 10026

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Robin Warwick
153 W 119th St
New York, NY 10026

Harriet Baer

300 East 74th Street-23A , New York, NY 10021-

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Harriet Baer
300 East 74th Street-23A
New York, NY 10021-

Bethany Hurley

9205 Whitney Ave Apt B43, Elmhurst, NY 11373

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Sincerely,
Bethany Hurley
9205 Whitney Ave
Apt B43
Elmhurst, NY 11373

debra stevens

495 old country rd , DEER PARK, NY 11729-

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Margaret Haas

443 W 24 Street , New York, NY 10011

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443 W 24 Street
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Vincent Leonti

1381 Holmes Road , Apalachin, NY 13732

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Deerfield, NY 13502

Robin Cisne

115 Oak Hill Road , Ithaca, NY 14850-2325

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I am angry and disgusted at this abuse of the public trust by these broadcasters. Why should we trust them in the future when they've shown that the "news" is for sale? Please punish them in a meaningful manner -- pull their licenses!

Sincerely, Robin Cisne

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Robin Cisne
115 Oak Hill Road
Ithaca, NY 14850-2325

Judy Paul

103 Waverly Place , New York, NY 10011-

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Judy Paul
103 Waverly Place
New York, NY 10011-

Robert Jacobson

342 Dean Street , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Robert Jacobson
342 Dean Street
Brooklyn, NY 11217

Dale Leyden

28 Beach Rd , Laurel, NY 11948

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Sincerely,
Dale Leyden
28 Beach Rd
Laurel, NY 11948

Camille Nerney

PO Box 93 , Long Lake, NY 12847-0093

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Camille Nerney
PO Box 93
Long Lake, NY 12847-0093

G.H. Dersham

48 Morris , Albany, NY 12208

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Lillian Fischer

3401 Fort Independence Street , Bronx, NY 10463

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Bronx, NY 10463

Ann Foster

260 West St. , Mt. Kisco, NY 10549

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Sincerely,
Ann Foster
260 West St.
Mt. Kisco, NY 10549

KARL vOLK

43 wHITTIER BLVD , poughkeepsie, NY 12603

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John Hendricks
49 Tennessee Avenue
Albany, NY 12205 4549

Jen Halbert

8415 4th Ave, Apt E5 , Brooklyn, NY 11209

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Sincerely,
Jen Halbert
8415 4th Ave, Apt E5
Brooklyn, NY 11209

Daniel Therriault

191 Archer Road , Mahopac, NY 10541-

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191 Archer Road
Mahopac, NY 10541-

Dan Georgakis

304 Hudson ST. - 6th Fl , NY, NY 10013

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Dan Georgakis
304 Hudson ST. - 6th Fl
NY, NY 10013

John-Davis Huntsman

3033 Godwin Ter, #5E , Bronx, NY 10463

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3033 Godwin Ter, #5E
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Neil Freson

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Neil Freson
26 Bitternell Lane
Henrietta, NY 14467

Mark Parker

531 Main Street Apartment 1818, New York, NY 10044

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Mark Parker
531 Main Street
Apartment 1818
New York, NY 10044

Jenny Heinz

215 West 88 street , New York, NY 10024

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215 West 88 street
New York, NY 10024

Denise Coppola

31 NottinghamWay N , Clifton Park, NY 12065-1703

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Matthew Greenbaum

276 Riverside Drive , New York, NY 10025-

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Matthew Greenbaum
276 Riverside Drive
New York, NY 10025-

Devera Witkin

115 Fourth Avenue Apt. 2C, New York, NY 10003

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115 Fourth Avenue
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kyle goen

448 myrtle ave , brooklyn, NY 11205

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Sincerely,
kyle goen
448 myrtle ave
brooklyn, NY 11205

Jeannine Yates

Jeannine Yates 110 Reiman St. #2, Buffalo, NY 14206-

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Sincerely,
Jeannine Yates
Jeannine Yates
110 Reiman St. #2
Buffalo, NY 14206-

Victor Tweed

191 Grand St Apt 8 , New York, NY 10013-3714

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191 Grand St Apt 8
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Jennifer Stein

210 Mitchell St. , Ithaca, NY 14850

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210 Mitchell St.
Ithaca, NY 14850

Saul Robbins

206 W 104 St Apt 27 , New York, NY 10025

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Sincerely,
Saul Robbins
206 W 104 St Apt 27
New York, NY 10025

peter comstock

428 Hollow road , Glen Spey, NY 12737

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peter comstock
428 Hollow road
Glen Spey, NY 12737

natasha harsh

29 South Elliott Place , Brooklyn,, NY 11217

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29 South Elliott Place
Brooklyn,, NY 11217

Joel Agee

458 3rd Street , Brooklyn, NY 11215-

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Sandra Germain

One Larkin St. , Scotia, NY 12303

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Sincerely,
Sandra Germain
One Larkin St.
Scotia, NY 12303

L. Glasner

27 W 96 St , NEW YORK, NY 10025

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27 W 96 St
NEW YORK, NY 10025

Timothy Liebe

612 Westcott St. , Syracuse, NY 13210

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I find that, with so much real news involving Corporate America's, though their puppet Bush's, treasonous actions against the Constitution and people of America, your insistence on airing this corporatist crap to be nauseating at best - and most likely treasonous itself!

Sincerely,
Timothy Liebe
612 Westcott St.
Syracuse, NY 13210

Robin Harvey

357 W 11th St, GB , New York, NY 10014-

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Sincerely,
Robin Harvey
357 W 11th St, GB
New York, NY 10014-

ndowling@nyc.rr.com Dowling

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ndowling@nyc.rr.com Dowling
545 West 111th Street
New York, NY 10025

Michele Temple

42-26 69th street , Woodside, NY 11377

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It is truly disconcerting to realize that we are fed disception by trusted stations that we turn to for news all the time.

It is the job of the FCC to keep our stations honest.

No more fake news!

Sincerely,
Michele Temple
42-26 69th street
Woodside, NY 11377

lisa beebe

407 PARK AVE. SOUTH APT. 17E, NY, NY 10016

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lisa beebe
407 PARK AVE. SOUTH
APT. 17E
NY, NY 10016

Constance SIMO

225 W. 11 Street , New York, NY 10014

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225 W. 11 Street
New York, NY 10014

Elaine Swaine

49 Pickford Ave. , Buffalo, NY 14223

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Elaine Swaine
49 Pickford Ave.
Buffalo, NY 14223

George Ruta

33 Gilbert Street , Cambridge, NY 12057

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George Ruta
33 Gilbert Street
Cambridge, NY 12057

pamela malcolm

2233 helderberg trail , berne, NY 12023-

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We are living in a culture of corruption and lies, at least the news should be real!!!

Sincerely,
pamela malcolm
2233 helderberg trail
berne, NY 12023-

robert salzer

2120 feuereisen ave , ronkonkoma, NY 11779

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robert salzer
2120 feuereisen ave
ronkonkoma, NY 11779

Frank Moder

24 Harmony Drive , Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776-

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24 Harmony Drive
Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776-

Michael Allen

440 Broadway #2R , Brooklyn, NY 11211

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Sincerely,
Michael Allen
440 Broadway #2R
Brooklyn, NY 11211

Emily Barrett

117 Garth Rd. apt.1f , Scarsdale, NY 10583-

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Sincerely,
Emily Barrett
117 Garth Rd. apt.1f
Scarsdale, NY 10583-

ella pastor

3000 henry hudson pway bronx, ny, NY 10463

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ella pastor
3000 henry hudson pway
bronx
ny, NY 10463

margaret mcgoohan

34 barger street , putnam valley, NY 10579

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margaret mcgoohan
34 barger street
putnam valley, NY 10579

Doris Casella

344 West 12th St/ 5G , New York, NY 10014

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Thank heavens for the alternative media, including print, TV, and film, otherwise none of us would actually know what is really going on.

Sincerely,
Doris Casella
344 West 12th St/ 5G
New York, NY 10014

Brett Jackson

248 W. 102. Apt 3B , New York, NY 10025

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Brett Jackson
248 W. 102. Apt 3B
New York, NY 10025

William E. Kowatch

715Farmers Avenue , Bellmore, NY 11710-3843

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Sincerely,
William E. Kowatch
715Farmers Avenue
Bellmore, NY 11710-3843

Jay Lubow

360 Court Street #15, Brooklyn, NY 11231-

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Keep news the news!

Sincerely,
Jay Lubow
360 Court Street
#15
Brooklyn, NY 11231-

Kathy Luz Herrera

116 Utica St , Ithaca, NY 14850

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Kathy Luz Herrera
116 Utica St
Ithaca, NY 14850

marcos sola

453 w 43rd st , NEW YORK, NY 10036

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marcos sola
453 w 43rd st
NEW YORK, NY 10036

Michael Ellner

45 West 84th Street , New York, NY 10024

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I trust that after investigating this the FCC will act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Michael Ellner
45 West 84th Street
New York, NY 10024

Madalyn Benoit

35-64 84th St., #3M , Jackson Heights, NY 11372

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Jeanne Bannon

307 E. 44th St. , New York, NY 10017

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Jeanne Bannon
307 E. 44th St.
New York, NY 10017

Michele Naumann Carlstrom

664 Baltic St, #1 , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Michele Naumann Carlstrom
664 Baltic St, #1
Brooklyn, NY 11217

Richard Johnsen

343 raymond Fish Rd. , Hartwick, NY 13348

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Martha Moran

300 E 51st Street , New York, NY 10022

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Sincerely,
Martha Moran
300 E 51st Street
New York, NY 10022

n hornecker

140 Cadman Plaza West , Brooklyn, NY 11201-

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140 Cadman Plaza West
Brooklyn, NY 11201-

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41 Shady Lane , Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522

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Jeremy Handler

205 West End Ave, apt 9M , New York, NY 10023

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Jeremy Handler
205 West End Ave, apt 9M
New York, NY 10023

Joseph Carman

723 West End Ave , NY, NY 10025-

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Joseph Carman
723 West End Ave
NY, NY 10025-

Susanne Lewis

135 Rivington Street, # 1F , New York, NY 10002-

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Sincerely,
Susanne Lewis
135 Rivington Street, # 1F
New York, NY 10002-

Jay Blotcher

112 Steep Hill Road , High Falls, NY 12440-5213

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Big business is buying TV time for one reason: to spread lies throughout America.

Sincerely,
Jay Blotcher
112 Steep Hill Road
High Falls, NY 12440-5213

Priscilla Billig

2114 Burke Place , Merrick, NY 11566

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Sincerely,
Priscilla Billig
2114 Burke Place
Merrick, NY 11566

Dick Jones

215 West 91 Street, Apt. 57 , New York, NY 10024-1336

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Dick Jones
215 West 91 Street, Apt. 57
New York, NY 10024-1336

Joanna Rush Wilpan

375 South End Ave. #14C , New York, NY 10280

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This is very serious, Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.
Thank you, Rev. Joanna R. Wilpan

Sincerely,
Joanna Rush Wilpan
375 South End Ave. #14C
New York, NY 10280

Hassan Laaroussi

30-26 35th st Apt 4c, Astoria, NY 11103-

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Hassan Laaroussi
30-26 35th st
Apt 4c
Astoria, NY 11103-

Eric Godoy

447 7th Avenue Apartment 2D, Brooklyn, NY 11215

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447 7th Avenue
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Brooklyn, NY 11215

Thomas Wm. Hamilton

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Sincerely,
Thomas Wm. Hamilton
153 Arlo Road
Staten Island, NY 10301

Michael Schilke

14 W. 76th St. #5F , new york, NY 10023

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Sincerely,
Michael Schilke
14 W. 76th St. #5F
new york, NY 10023

Mark Stenseth

1476 Lexington Ave Apt 3A, New York, NY 10128

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Sincerely,
Mark Stenseth
1476 Lexington Ave
Apt 3A
New York, NY 10128

Theresa Roche

166 Bank Street 4C , New York, NY 10014-

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166 Bank Street 4C
New York, NY 10014-

Michael Mandel

177 w 26th st, apt 600 , New York, NY 10001

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Michael Mandel
177 w 26th st, apt 600
New York, NY 10001

Robyn Stewart

2126 Gray St , Schenectady, NY 12306

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Although this letter is a form letter, I have read everything in it and agree WHOLE-HEARTEDLY with its statements. Please act immediately to stop fake news in New York.

Sincerely,
Robyn Stewart
2126 Gray St
Schenectady, NY 12306

Amy Stoller

63 Downing St., Apt. 2C Apt. 2C, New York, NY 10014-4331

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Sincerely,
Amy Stoller
63 Downing St., Apt. 2C
Apt. 2C
New York, NY 10014-4331

Bruce Webber

74 Maple Street , Massena, NY 13662

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Sincerely,
Bruce Webber
74 Maple Street
Massena, NY 13662

Lee Dugger

42 West 13th Street, Apt 1C , New York, NY 10011

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Sincerely,
Lee Dugger
42 West 13th Street, Apt 1C
New York, NY 10011

Margo Schab

1000 Park Avenue , New York, NY 10028

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Margo Schab
1000 Park Avenue
New York, NY 10028

Mark Jeror Sr.

675 State Rt 11B , Brushton, NY 12916-

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Before Bush and the Powell family invaded America there were laws enforced. Please do the job you were hired to do and stop the fake news reports in America. Did you see the report in Canada the other day where they explained that the new conservative Government is doing the same thing. They said Bush has been doing this for years and it's your job to stop him. Do your job. Enforce the laws of America. Stop fake news. You aren't fooling anyone.

Sincerely,
Mark Jeror Sr.
675 State Rt 11B
Brushton, NY 12916-

Jean Darcy

399 E 72St #2C , New York, NY 10021

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Sincerely,
Jean Darcy
399 E 72St #2C
New York, NY 10021

Richard Schloss

9 Medford Lane , East Northport, NY 11731-5229

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9 Medford Lane
East Northport, NY 11731-5229

Michael Lane

736 Riverside Drive #2AA , New York, NY 10031

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Michael Lane
736 Riverside Drive #2AA
New York, NY 10031

Richard F Bernstein

444 East 86th Street 19B, New York, NY 10028

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These corporations are not satisfied to have First Amendment rights? They have to abuse the privilege, too?

Sincerely,
Richard F Bernstein
444 East 86th Street
19B
New York, NY 10028

Robert Miletta

7858 Eisenhower Blvd. , Bridgeport, NY 13030

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3786 Bedford Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11229

Lisa Wolf

30 Monroe St., #AJ-5 New York, New York, NY 10002-7705

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Lisa Wolf
30 Monroe St., #AJ-5
New York
New York, NY 10002-7705

Michael Hochanadel

1124 Van Curler Ave. , Schenectady, NY 12308

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Schenectady, NY 12308

Linda Shackelford

P.O. Box 436 72 Lakeshore Drive, south salem, NY 10590

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P.O. Box 436
72 Lakeshore Drive
south salem, NY 10590

Andrew Kreutter

24 Bennett Ave. #51A , New York, NY 10033

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This is illegal, and should be treated as such. These acts are not accidental, and should be severely punished, publically. A clear signal should be sent to these compnies, that the Public trust must be honored, if they want access to the airwaves.

Sincerely,
Andrew Kreutter
24 Bennett Ave. #51A
New York, NY 10033

William Smith

203 Holland Street #2, Somerville, MA 02144

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As the legal safeguard of the media, the FCC should indeed investigate this abuse in New York and nationwide. Slapping the above stations with violations and, in effect, "outing" them for these misleading practices would go a long way in curbing such practices in the future.

Sincerely,
William Smith
203 Holland Street
#2
Somerville, MA 02144

Andrea Hiller

949 WEA , New York, NY 10025

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Andrea Hiller
949 WEA
New York, NY 10025

Amanda Bell

555 West 57th Street #1230 , New York, NY 10019

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Amanda Bell
555 West 57th Street #1230
New York, NY 10019

Steven Yao

52 Oxford Rd. , New Hartford, NY 13413

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This is absolutely unacceptable in our community, and I demand that you take appropriate action to stop this egregious breach of journalistic and even community ethics.

Sincerely,
Steven Yao
52 Oxford Rd.
New Hartford, NY 13413

Hope Zaccagni,

62 South Main St. , Alfred, NY 14802

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Sincerely,
Hope Zaccagni,
62 South Main St.
Alfred, NY 14802

Stephanie Jacobs

140-60 Beech Avenue , Flushing, NY 11355

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Stephanie Jacobs
140-60 Beech Avenue
Flushing, NY 11355

laura gordon

2261 e 27 street , brooklyn, ny, NY 11229

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2261 e 27 street
brooklyn, ny, NY 11229

Shirley Warren

12 Millbrook Ter , New Paltz, NY 12561

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Sincerely,
Shirley Warren
12 Millbrook Ter
New Paltz, NY 12561

Jose Viera

26 Rosewood st. , Central Islip, NY 11722

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Lucille Rivin

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Lucille Rivin
188 Carroll Street
Bronx, NY 10464

Susan Spivack

250 Quarry Street , Cobleskill, NY 12043

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Sincerely,
Susan Spivack
250 Quarry Street
Cobleskill, NY 12043

Berenice D'Vorzon

39 Walker Street, #5R , New York, NY 10013

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39 Walker Street, #5R
New York, NY 10013

Aegina Barnes

69-45 108th Street #7i , Forest Hills, NY 11375

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We rely on our news institutions to keep the government and corporations accountable. What are we to do when you cave in?

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Aegina Barnes
69-45 108th Street #7i
Forest Hills, NY 11375

Harry C Tabak

41 Hornbeck Ridge , Poughkeepsie, NY 12603-

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Harry C Tabak
41 Hornbeck Ridge
Poughkeepsie, NY 12603-

jorell rivera

50-37 newtown road apt. 2D , woodside, NY 11377

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woodside, NY 11377

Kristen Luzzi

130 Plymouth Ave. South , Syracuse, NY 13211

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Sincerely,
Kristen Luzzi
130 Plymouth Ave. South
Syracuse, NY 13211

Patricia Colasurdo

1796 NYS Rt. 13 , Cortland, NY 13045-9617

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1796 NYS Rt. 13
Cortland, NY 13045-9617

Eleanor Talisman

17 Tiffany Circle , Manhasset, NY 11030

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Eleanor Talisman
17 Tiffany Circle
Manhasset, NY 11030

Jeanne Franks

315 Marshall Street , Oceanside, NY 11572

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315 Marshall Street
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Carl Unger

460 Bay Avenue , Patchogue, NY 11772

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Carl Unger
460 Bay Avenue
Patchogue, NY 11772

Sharon Goodman

350 West 51st Street Apartment 4J, New York, NY 10019

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Sincerely,
Sharon Goodman
350 West 51st Street
Apartment 4J
New York, NY 10019

George & Eleanor Bollag

212-75 Whitehall Terrace , Queens Village, NY 11427

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Sincerely,

George & Eleanor Bollag 212-75 Whitehall Terrace Queens Village, NY 11427

Sincerely,
George %pa_first_name% Eleanor Bollag
212-75 Whitehall Terrace
Queens Village, NY 11427

Paul Brubaker

380 Rector Pl, 5-F , New York, NY 10280

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Sincerely,
Paul Brubaker
380 Rector Pl, 5-F
New York, NY 10280

laura koulish

50 w 97 st , ny, NY 10025

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Sincerely,
laura koulish
50 w 97 st
ny, NY 10025

Nancy Garniez

949 West End Ave. Apt. 11C, New York, NY 10025

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Joshie South

454 73rd #2 , Brooklyn, NY 11209

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454 73rd #2
Brooklyn, NY 11209

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36 W. 89th St. , new York, NY 10024

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Rafael Perez

14 east 28th street Apt. 918 , new york, NY 10016

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Rafael Perez
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new york, NY 10016

Carrington Morris

2 Bleecker Street , New York, NY 10012

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John Witter

32 Orchard Hts , New Paltz, NY 12561

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New Paltz, NY 12561

Arnold Haber

224-09 Horace Harding Expressway apt. 2, Oakland Gardens, NY 11364

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Seth Pullen
300 S.Broadway
Tarrytown, NY 10591-

Emmy & Clark Josephs

99 Dogwood Road , Hopewell Jct., NY 12533

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99 Dogwood Road
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Thank you.

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Tia Biasi
28 East 2nd Street
New York, NY 10003

Bancha Srikacha

51 Howard Ave. , Eastchester, NY 10709

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margaret duignan

100 nassau rd , Huntington, NY 11743

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100 nassau rd
Huntington, NY 11743

donna faivre roberts

25 franklyn drive , lansing, NY 14882

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25 franklyn drive
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Madeline Shaw

POB 299 , Slate Hill, NY 10973

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Madeline Shaw
POB 299
Slate Hill, NY 10973

Sharon Wise

10455 Cosby Manor Rd. , Deerfield, NY 13502-

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323 Uris Hall Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14850-1485

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323 Uris Hall
Cornell University
Ithaca, NY 14850-1485

jean-Christian Bourcart

332 CANAL , new york, NY 10013

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Sincerely,
j. jonas
2nd avenue
new york, NY 10003

Jonathan Frater

88-11, 63 Dr. , Rego Park, NY 11374

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Elizabeth Darst

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Susan Fraley

8 Vine Street , Albany, NY 12203

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Susan Fraley

Sincerely,
Susan Fraley
8 Vine Street
Albany, NY 12203

Marc Copland

344 8th Ave , Pelham, NY 10803-

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344 8th Ave
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Mathew Elsner

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Mathew Elsner
92 Newel Street
Brooklyn, NY 11222

Kirsti Gholson

49 Hill 99 , Woodstock, NY 12498-1424

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It is reprehensible that these stations are trying to fool the public with these "promos".

Please put a stop to this practice now.

Sincerely,
Kirsti Gholson
49 Hill 99
Woodstock, NY 12498-1424

Jand Ruoff

1525 Highland Avenue , Rochester, NY 14618-

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Sincerely,
Jand Ruoff
1525 Highland Avenue
Rochester, NY 14618-

Daniel F. Pawling. Sr.

140 West 58th Street -- # 6B , New York, NY 10019

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Daniel F. Pawling. Sr.
140 West 58th Street -- # 6B
New York, NY 10019

Michael Green

6 Central Ave. , Oneonta, NY 13820

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Michael Green
6 Central Ave.
Oneonta, NY 13820

Larry Stone

54-20 82 ST , Elmhurst, NY 11373

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Pols already show that cable and network news are losing viewers every day - because they have lost the trust of the public. This new development can only damage their credibility further.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,
Larry Stone
54-20 82 ST
Elmhurst, NY 11373

Cena Crane

320 Washington Ave, #1C , Brooklyn, NY 11205

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320 Washington Ave, #1C
Brooklyn, NY 11205

Kristine Smith

260 Rockingham St. , Rochester, NY 14620

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Kristine Smith
260 Rockingham St.
Rochester, NY 14620

Meredith Ryan

410 Cedar Avenue , Mount Vernon, NY 10553-1708

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Laurel Robertson

36 Dickinson Avenue , Nyack, NY 10960

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Laurel Robertson
36 Dickinson Avenue
Nyack, NY 10960

Elisabeth Simpson

9 North Lane , Glen Cove, NY 11542-2608

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9 North Lane
Glen Cove, NY 11542-2608

Linda Marshall

7 River Road , Oceanside, NY 11572

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Linda Marshall
7 River Road
Oceanside, NY 11572

lori stevenson

48 oak avenue , larchmont, NY 10538

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lori stevenson
48 oak avenue
larchmont, NY 10538

Patricia Friesen

36 Thoroughbred Drive , Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

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Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

Rolf Meyersohn

125 west 76th street apt 9b, new york, NY 10023

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125 west 76th street
apt 9b
new york, NY 10023

Homer Mitchell

195 Rte. 41 , Homer, NY 13077-

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Homer Mitchell
195 Rte. 41
Homer, NY 13077-

Diana Dav is

140 East 81st Street , New York, NY 10028

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New York, NY 10028

Stacey Graves

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Eartha Hubbell
213 First Street
Ithaca, NY 14850

Keith Morris

18 John Dave's Lane , Huntington, NY 11743-1711

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Huntington, NY 11743-1711

Nina Kane

710 West End Ave, Apt. 16F , New York, NY 10025-6808

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Sincerely,
Claudia Greco
1715 Hendrickson Street
Brooklyn, NY 11234-4317

Jeff Campbell

3622 Manchaca Rd , Austin, TX 78704

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Jeff Campbell
3622 Manchaca Rd
Austin, TX 78704

janice panzica

314 mac Arthur Dr. , williamsville, NY 14221

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janice panzica
314 mac Arthur Dr.
williamsville, NY 14221

Linda Chapman

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New York, NY 10009

Tom Pryor

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Paul Smyres

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Make the corporations pay real money for their ads, and not get them passed off as "news". There are plenty of other ways to advertise.

When I watch the news, I want to see real issues being discussed, not just products. Airtime should be used for real news only.

Sincerely,
Paul Smyres
652 McGhee Hill Road
Millerton, NY 12546-1254

Alexandra Lovell

472 1st Street , Brooklyn, NY 11215-

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Brooklyn, NY 11215-

Daniel Lepel

279 Troy Road Suite 9 #303, Rensselaer, NY 12144

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279 Troy Road
Suite 9 #303
Rensselaer, NY 12144

B.N. BOMZE

2350 Broadway #520 , NY, NY 10024-3200

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B.N. BOMZE
2350 Broadway #520
NY, NY 10024-3200

Brian Gluck

336 14th St. #2L , Brooklyn, NY 11215

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Pat Hovey

PO Box 1305 , Southold, NY 11971

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4 Bogardus Place , New York, NY 10040

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Gary Schwartz
4 Bogardus Place
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2724 Young Ave. , Bronx, NY 10469-5527

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Sincerely,
Shaurain Farber
2724 Young Ave.
Bronx, NY 10469-5527

Steven Phillips

333 W 84th St Apt 8 , New York, NY 10024

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333 W 84th St Apt 8
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Christopher Taverna

4729 W Main Rd , Fredonia, NY 14063

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Sincerely,
Wanda Boland
PO Box 223
East Moriches, NY 11940-0223

James Ruff

P.O. Box 31 , Stone Ridge, NY 12484

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201 eastern parkway
brooklyn, NY 11238

winterton garvey

72 park terrace west , New York, NY 10034

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Sincerely,
winterton garvey
72 park terrace west
New York, NY 10034

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52 Sodom Rd , Ithaca, NY 14850

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Johnathan Grybos

5062 So. Catherine St. Apt. 15 , Plattsburgh, NY 12901

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As a journalist in training in upstate New York, it is disheartening that my established fellows deliberately and unconscionably mislead their viewers. America relies on their journalists to present the truth, only the facts, and not skewed video segments from corporate interests. For the well-being of the public's right to know, and to assure that journalists hold themselves accountable for their sloppy indiscretion, these acts of misinformation must be addressed.

Sincerely,
Johnathan Grybos
5062 So. Catherine St. Apt. 15
Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Sherry svec

31 Hanford St. , middletown, NY 10940-4931

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Tobi Zausner

137 E. 38 St., 6J , NYC, NY 10016

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Barbara Perkins

68 Chestnut Street 4B2 , Cold Spring, NY 10516

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68 Chestnut Street 4B2
Cold Spring, NY 10516

Elizabeth Guthrie

525 French Road Apt. 5 , ROCHESTER, NY 14618

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Elizabeth Guthrie
525 French Road Apt. 5
ROCHESTER, NY 14618

Sarah Gallagher

1136 First Avenue , New York, NY 10021

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Sarah Gallagher
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Chip Phillips

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Deborah Drier

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413-585-8904

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215 West 92nd Street Apt. 15E , New York City, NY 10025-7480

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194 Watson Hollow
West Shokan, NY 12494-

Jay Lajoie

161 Remsen St Apt 7B, Brooklyn, NY 11201

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Cheryl Guttman

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Sincerely,
Cheryl Guttman
509 E 5th St.
New York, NY 10009

Shelby Norris

124 Sequoia Drive , Coram, NY 11727

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124 Sequoia Drive
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James Van Tassell

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carlos cuevas

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carlos cuevas
8414 4th ave.
brooklyn, NY 11209

Eve Moser

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Diane Casper

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Dawn Dunlop

720 West 181st St , New York, NY 10033-

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720 West 181st St
New York, NY 10033-

lynn jorgensen

rd3 box 270 , endicott, NY 13760

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Sincerely,
lynn jorgensen
rd3 box 270
endicott, NY 13760

Peter Hyde

356 Broadway #4D , New York, NY 10013

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Peter Hyde
356 Broadway #4D
New York, NY 10013

Judith Eda

228 Rachel Carson Way , Ithaca, NY 14850-8401

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228 Rachel Carson Way
Ithaca, NY 14850-8401

Emily Metz

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You think maybe that's why viewership is in decline? You underestimate the intelligence of the average person. Big mistake.

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Sincerely,
Emily Metz
137 Crescent Hill Rd.
Pittsford, NY 14534-2406

Irene Dombeck

7 Hollyvale Dr. , Rochester, NY 14618

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107 Wyckoff Street
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Fred Kentner

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Fred Kentner
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Paul Block

750 Kelly St. , Bronx, NY 10455

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ithaca, NY 14850

Douglas Kinney

525 Crawford Road , Otego, NY 13825

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Douglas Kinney
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Otego, NY 13825

Louise Calabro

Two Bay Club Drive Apt. 1-G, Bayside, NY 11360-2918

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Sincerely,
Louise Calabro
Two Bay Club Drive
Apt. 1-G
Bayside, NY 11360-2918

Harriet Fishlow

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201 E 77th St.
New York, NY 10021-2081

Robinette Robinson

539 Third Street , Mamaronec, NY 10543

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Sincerely,
Robinette Robinson
539 Third Street
Mamaronec, NY 10543

Claire Demarest

29 Marvin Street , Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

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Claire Demarest
29 Marvin Street
Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

Jennifer Tirado

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Staten Island, NY 10301-2933

Kristine O'Malley-Levy

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Kristine O'Malley-Levy
211 Loring Road
Levittown, NY 11756

Lisa Jadwin

407 Woodbine Avenue , Rochester, NY 14619

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As a New Yorker who lives on Long Island, I am directly affected by the proliferation of pseudo-news stories on stations broadcasting out of NYC. I find this unacceptable and a violation of the public trust which is based on the supposition that news outlets are supposed to present unbiased reporting.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,
Elizabeth Stone
64A Eastport Dr
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Peter Zwiebach

20-60 33rd Street , Astoria, NY 11105

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20-60 33rd Street
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Marilyn Briskin

324 W. 77th St. , NY, NY 10024-

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It's unworthy of a free press to fake the news.

It would be even more unworthy if the FCC which is charged with maintaining that freedom were to abet corporations in subverting our airwaves into whoredom of the press.

Please, in the public interest, stop this attack sneakiness and force stations who are abusing their privileged use of the airwaves.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Marilyn Briskin
324 W. 77th St.
NY, NY 10024-

Simma Park

441 West 51 Street, 3E , New York, NY 10019

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441 West 51 Street, 3E
New York, NY 10019

Heidi Escobar

4194 Pisces Circle , Liverpool, NY 13090-1340

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Sincerely,
Heidi Escobar
4194 Pisces Circle
Liverpool, NY 13090-1340

Steven Brewer

17 Mynderse St , Seneca Falls, NY 13148

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Steven Brewer
17 Mynderse St
Seneca Falls, NY 13148

Jessica Coram

5170 Baer Rd , Cambria, NY 14132

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Jessica Coram
5170 Baer Rd
Cambria, NY 14132

Joshua Bookin

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Sincerely,
Joshua Bookin
4 Jan Ridge Road
Somers, NY 10589

Richard Beal

1819 Kenyon Rd. , Ontario, NY 14519

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1819 Kenyon Rd.
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Siv O'Neill

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Sincerely,
Siv O'Neill
15 Davenport Ave
New Rochelle, NY 10805

Jill Anania

307 West 76th St. #3A , New York, NY 10023-8054

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You need to go back to Journalism 101!!

Sincerely,
Jill Anania
307 West 76th St. #3A
New York, NY 10023-8054

Dianne Vivlamore

71 Southbury road , clifton Park, NY 12065

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71 Southbury road
clifton Park, NY 12065

SUSAN QUAINANCE

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I know the news providers have no interest in real news, but they shouldn't be able to feed us fake news without telling us.

Sincerely,
SUSAN QUAINANCE
35 NORTH PEARL ST
BUFFALO, NY 14202

Jennifer Thorpe

703 Manhattan Ave. #3 , Brooklyn, NY 11222

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Oakland Gardens, NY 11364

ROSANNE FERRARA

860 W 181 ST, # 2 , NEW YORK, NY 10033

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156 Dupont St.
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Linda Metnetsky

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Linda Metnetsky
610 West 112th Street
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Paul Hart

3 Dickerson Avenue , Stony Brook, NY 11790-

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Sincerely,
Paul Hart
3 Dickerson Avenue
Stony Brook, NY 11790-

ira ballen

166 east 96th street , NEW YORK, NY 10128

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QWER QWER
QWE
WER
brooklyn, NY 11231

Rob Kelley

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Sincerely,
Eli Ganas
800 Riverside Drive
Apt. 4G
New York, NY 10032

Mary Titus

666 Riverside Drive #2-B , New York, NY 10031

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The FCC is taxing our telephone service to the tune of 20% of our bill! Do your damn job you lazy ass!

Sincerely,
Mary Titus
666 Riverside Drive #2-B
New York, NY 10031

Mary O'Neill

7127 College Hill Road , Clinton, NY 13323

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Mary O'Neill
7127 College Hill Road
Clinton, NY 13323

Abby Durden

159 Eastern Parkway 6B, Brooklyn, NY 11238

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Abby Durden
159 Eastern Parkway
6B
Brooklyn, NY 11238

katherine cooke

25 spring avenue , troy, NY 12180

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Sincerely,
katherine cooke
25 spring avenue
troy, NY 12180

Andrew Slusar

27 Stonehenge Rd , Rockville Centre, NY 11570

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Andrew Slusar
27 Stonehenge Rd
Rockville Centre, NY 11570

M. Hans Liebert

656 W 204 ST Apt 47, New York, NY 10034

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656 W 204 ST
Apt 47
New York, NY 10034

Eden Eskin

237 East 20 Street Apt. 6H , New York, NY 10003-1809

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Eden Eskin
237 East 20 Street Apt. 6H
New York, NY 10003-1809

David Rasche

626 Bergen St , Brooklyn, NY 11238

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David Rasche
626 Bergen St
Brooklyn, NY 11238

Lynn Caporale

1 Sherman Square , NY, NY 10023

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Lynn Caporale
1 Sherman Square
NY, NY 10023

Ada Muellner

191 Claremont Ave. Apt. 55 , New York, NY 10027

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Ada Muellner
191 Claremont Ave. Apt. 55
New York, NY 10027

Joanna Conrad-Pacelli

109 Genesee Pk Blvd , Rochester, NY 14611

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Sincerely,
Joanna Conrad-Pacelli
109 Genesee Pk Blvd
Rochester, NY 14611

Christiane Pistor

520 E 72 St , New York, NY 10021

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Christiane Pistor
520 E 72 St
New York, NY 10021

Janet Vetter

33 Central Avenue #3E , Staten Island, NY 10301

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Sincerely,
Janet Vetter
33 Central Avenue #3E
Staten Island, NY 10301

Rob Taylor

76 Oakdale Ave S , New Hartford, NY 13413

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Rob Taylor
76 Oakdale Ave S
New Hartford, NY 13413

Cynthia Parker

164 E. 23rd St. , Huntington Station, NY 11746

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Cynthia Parker
164 E. 23rd St.
Huntington Station, NY 11746

Holly Horne

24 - 39 38th Street 2C , Astoria, NY 111034805

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Holly Horne
24 - 39 38th Street 2C
Astoria, NY 11103-4805

Gail Lelyveld

4 Grafton Street , Greenlawn, NY 11740

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Gail Lelyveld
4 Grafton Street
Greenlawn, NY 11740

Bruce Jackson

57 Pontiac Dr , Rochester, NY 14617

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Rochester, NY 14617

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33 Sherman Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10301

Rev's Patricia and Ronald Farr

18100 N. Harbor Rd. , Adams Center, NY 13606

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18100 N. Harbor Rd.
Adams Center, NY 13606

Abe Schneider

3900 Greystone Ave. 64F, Bronx, New York, NY 10463-

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Abe Schneider
3900 Greystone Ave.
64F
Bronx, New York, NY 10463-

Michele Melnick

17 Anchorage Rd , Port Washington, NY 11050

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Sincerely,
Michele Melnick
17 Anchorage Rd
Port Washington, NY 11050

Jezra Kaye

191 St. Marks Ave., #2W , Brooklyn, NY 11238

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Sincerely,
Jezra Kaye
191 St. Marks Ave., #2W
Brooklyn, NY 11238

Agnes McKeon

jurisprudent@aol.com , New York, NY 10023-6608

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Agnes McKeon
jurisprudent@aol.com
New York, NY 10023-6608

Paula MacDonald

230 New Turnpike Road , Cohecton, NY 12726-

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Sincerely,
Paula MacDonald
230 New Turnpike Road
Cohecton, NY 12726-

Hugo Dwyer

72 Carmine St., Rear Duplex Rear Duplex, New York, NY 10014-1001

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Sincerely,
Hugo Dwyer
72 Carmine St., Rear Duplex
Rear Duplex
New York, NY 10014-1001

Donna Jackel

157 Glen Ellyn Way , Rochester, NY 14618-

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Sincerely,
Donna Jackel
157 Glen Ellyn Way
Rochester, NY 14618-

Briggan Krauss

437 Court Street #4L , Brooklyn, NY 11231-1231

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Briggan Krauss
437 Court Street #4L
Brooklyn, NY 11231-1231

Bonnie Brown

379 1st Ave. #3 #3, New York, NY 10010-4845

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Bonnie Brown
379 1st Ave. #3
#3
New York, NY 10010-4845

Jane Cooper

9 Tower Court , Syosset, NY 11791

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Jane Cooper
9 Tower Court
Syosset, NY 11791

William Glasner

7491 Modock Rd , Victor, NY 14564

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Daniel Fisherman

19 Monell Place , Beacon, NY 12508

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Sincerely,
Daniel Fisherman
19 Monell Place
Beacon, NY 12508

GB Burton

211 LeBrun Road , Eggertsville, NY 14226

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Gary Bogue
93 Hickory Street, Apt 1
Rochester, NY 14620

Karol Jackowski

165 Suffolk Street 4A , New York, NY 10002

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Karol Jackowski
165 Suffolk Street 4A
New York, NY 10002

David Bosch

118 wedst 81 , New York, NY 10024

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Brooklyn, NY 11238-

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Mary Ann Newman
161 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

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425 E. 58TH ST. , NEW YORK, NY 10022-2300

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Carl Kustell

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Sincerely,
Carl Kustell
8276 Garrock Rd.
Williamsville, NY 14221-

Ethan Cornell

1 Old Fulton St , Brooklyn, NY 11201

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Clearly the FCC has a role in protecting the American people from product placements posing as news. An informed populace is the foundation of democracy. Fake news seriously undermines that foundation.

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Sincerely,
Ethan Cornell
1 Old Fulton St
Brooklyn, NY 11201

L Dixon

341 Lafayette St, #4144 , New York, NY 10012

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L Dixon
341 Lafayette St, #4144
New York, NY 10012

Abraham Ticotin

PO Box 221 , Bloomingburg, NY 12721

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334 E. 55th Street, 16
NY, NY 10022

Catherine Keller

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Take action to stop fake news today. Demand that the Federal Communications Commission investigate, strengthen disclosure requirements, and punish New York stations that air fake news.

Visit the Fake News Map to learn more about the New York stations

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752 WEA
Ny, NY 10025

Amanda Zeitlin

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New York, NY 10021-

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8564 Shumla Rd
Cassadaga, NY 14718-

Sharon Kollar

127 Southern Blvd #2 , Albany, NY 12209

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Sharon Kollar
127 Southern Blvd #2
Albany, NY 12209

Mark Pezzati

346 W. 36th Street 4B, New York, NY 10018

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Jeffrey Fleischmann

65 Livingston St. , Buffalo, NY 14213

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Sincerely,
Jeffrey Fleischmann
65 Livingston St.
Buffalo, NY 14213

Erik Wood

68 Carroll Street Basement, Brooklyn, NY 11231

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Erik Wood
68 Carroll Street
Basement
Brooklyn, NY 11231

Robert Johansen

61 Burnside Ave , Staten Island, NY 10302

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Presentation of program content provided by commercial or advocacy sources is a breach of the public trust when licensed TV and radio stations use this content within News programming.

I urge you to take action to prohibit this practice and keep such content within the realm of clearly represented paid programming.

Sincerely,
Richard Johnson
74 Trinity Place, 4th Floor
New York, NY 10006

Bartholomew Daly

143 Miles Ave , Syracuse, NY 13210

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Please take immediate and swift action on this issue.

Sincerely,
Bartholomew Daly
143 Miles Ave
Syracuse, NY 13210

Nancy Barnes

318 West 85th Street , New :York, NY 10024

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Sincerely,
fran merker
3235 emmons av
bklyn, NY 11235

misha cohen

211 Highland Pkwy , rochester, NY 14620

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misha cohen
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rochester, NY 14620

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34-16 34th St , Long Island City, NY 11106

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Millerton, NY 12546

Loretta Rosa

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We the American people are sick and tired of all the fake news. Were not stupid people. Give us some credit.

When I have to watch the Daily Show with Jon Stewart to get news. something is wrong with our media.

Thank you Loretta Rosa 11206

Sincerely,
Loretta Rosa
131 ten eyck walk 3-B
apt.3-b
Brooklyn', NY 11206

Kathryn Como

171-04 BAgley AVe , Flushing, NY 11358-

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Kathryn Como
171-04 BAgley AVe
Flushing, NY 11358-

Pete Sikora

152 Fifth Ave Apt 1B , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Walter Alexander

437 e 80th st. #5 , New York, NY 10021

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9 lynx Lane , East Setauket, NY 11733

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3364 Route 12
Clinton, NY 13323-4236

Michele Zalopany

222 West 23rd ST. #1003 , New York, NY 10011-2301

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222 West 23rd ST. #1003
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Mark Frankel

29 Sandra Rd , East Hampton, NY 11937

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Sincerely,
cindy scalzo
linda lane
setauket, NY 11733

Leslie Martey

400 East 57th Street Apt 15F, New York, NY 10022

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Leslie Martey
400 East 57th Street
Apt 15F
New York, NY 10022

Richard Erle

149 Marine Ave aptp 5L, Brooklyn, NY 11209-7730

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Richard Erle
149 Marine Ave
aptp 5L
Brooklyn, NY 11209-7730

ELLEN CLEARY

29 HEALY STREET , HUNTINGTON, NY 11743

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Karen Keating-Secular

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Sincerely,
Karen Keating-Secular
63-61 99th Street
Rego Park, NY 11374

Nick Gutfreund

69 Girdle Ridge Road , Katonah, NY 10536

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Katonah, NY 10536

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1251 Ellis Hollow Road
Ithaca, NY 14850

Florence Falk

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DO NOT LET UNACKNOWLEDGED CORPORATIONS CONTAMINATE THESE COMMUNICATIONS WITH SPIN. These companies are rarely out for the common good.

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Julie Woodward
207 E. 76th St.
New York, NY 10021

crystal brandt

17th street , brooklyn, NY 11218

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Margaret Mahoney

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Todd Faulkner

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Christopher Stansfield

340 W. 47th St. Apt 3C, New York, NY 10036-3138

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Dana Spiegel

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Michelle Lefort

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Rachel Wiener

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Sincerely,
Carole Ireland
106 Stratford ave
Pittsfield, MA 01201

camilla smith

96 Grand St. , ny, NY 10013

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Christopher Kornmann

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72 E Seneca St , Oswego, NY 13126-1124

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Sincerely,
Erica Salzmänn-Talbi
50 Laffin lane
Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

amanda trager

678 Hart Street , Brooklyn, NY 11221

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Mark McCabe

27 Mountain Avenue , Mount Kisco, NY 10549-

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Mark McCabe
27 Mountain Avenue
Mount Kisco, NY 10549-

Michael Braverman

150 West 25th Street #402, New York, NY 10001

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Michael Braverman
150 West 25th Street
#402
New York, NY 10001

Richard Vincent

P.O. Box 278 , Palenville, NY 12463

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A Michael Piper
10 Matinecock Av
Port Washington, NY 11050

Gyda Arber

330 Haven Avenue #3M , New York, NY 10033

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Sincerely,
Geraldine Bryant
238 West 22nd Street
New York, NY 10011

Eric J Nicholson

1737 US Rte. 9W, Lot 4 , Selkirk, NY 12158-3157

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52 Mill River
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Ben Van Vliet

124 Raymond Ave. Box 1210 , Poughkeepsie, NY 12604

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David Kosh

120 Cabrini Blvd. , New York, NY 10033

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Sincerely,
Alexander Micucci
127 TERRACE PLACE
ITHACA, NY 14850 5254

413-585-8904

Larry Riggs

410 East 20th Street Apt. 11E , New York, NY 10009-

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Larry Riggs
410 East 20th Street Apt. 11E
New York, NY 10009-

Ruth SLATER

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James Lawrence
632 Albany Turnpike
Old Chatham, NY 12136

Martha Washington

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Lawrene Groobert

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441 Hardscrabble Road
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jeffrey gold

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19 stratford road
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Daniel Shaw

405 Maple AVe. , Upper Nyack, NY 10960-

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By disguising advertisements as news, stations violate both the spirit and the letter of their broadcasting licenses.

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Sincerely,
Eric Talbert
280 E 8th st
Brooklyn, NY 11218

Brian Stoos

11860 Buckwheat , Alden, NY 14004

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Sincerely,
Brian Stoos
11860 Buckwheat
Alden, NY 14004

Joanna A. Giuttari

659 41st St. , Brooklyn, NY 11232

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Sincerely,
Joanna A. Giuttari
659 41st St.
Brooklyn, NY 11232

Edmund W. Gordon

3 Cooper Morris Dr , Pomona, NY 10970

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For instance, while they should not place themselves in the position to tell newscasts what they can and can not air, they **MUST** force local and network news to identify public relations videos as just that and not news.

Stations have the right to air what they choose but they **MUST** make it clear to viewers that what they are watching is not a news story produced by the station but a propaganda video made by a corporation with an agenda.

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GW Hoffman

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Susan Lynch

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Phoenix, NY 13135

Christopher Pelham

764 Manhattan Ave Apt 3R , Brooklyn, NY 11222

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Christopher Pelham
764 Manhattan Ave Apt 3R
Brooklyn, NY 11222

Mark McDonnell

1299 Corporate Dr. Apt. 2114, Westbury, NY 11590-

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Mark McDonnell
1299 Corporate Dr.
Apt. 2114
Westbury, NY 11590-

mike hamersky

28-30 36th st , astoria, NY 11103

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Paul Powers
557 Rocket St
Rochester, NY 14609

Elizabeth Lewis

63 Prospect Street , White Plains, NY 10606

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Elizabeth Lewis
63 Prospect Street
White Plains, NY 10606

Annmarie Lanesey

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Annmarie Lanesey
72 Excelsior Ave
Troy, NY 12180

Jill Burdge

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Sincerely,
Jill Burdge
110-35 72nd Road #108
New York, NY 11375

Al Shapiro

241 State Hwy. 5S Lot 23, Patersonville, NY 12137

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Lot 23
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Leslie Simons

53 Pleasant Hill Rd , Mountainville, NY 10953

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Leslie Simons
53 Pleasant Hill Rd
Mountainville, NY 10953

keith irwin irwin

249 montrose ave apt 2L , brooklyn, NY 11206

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keith irwin irwin
249 montrose ave apt 2L
brooklyn, NY 11206

Marc O rron

16 School Street , West Seneca, NY 14224-

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I see enough commercial ads during the day. I DO NOT want it subversely placed in my news as it's presented to me.

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Marc O rron
16 School Street
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david turecamo

67 vestry st , ny, NY 10013

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Sincerely,
david turecamo
67 vestry st
ny, NY 10013

Sally Wagner

210 E Genesee St. , Fayetteville, NY 13066

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Virginia Miles

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Sincerely,
Virginia Miles
12 John
NY, NY 10038

Nicolai Grossman

16 May St. , Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

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Nicolai Grossman
16 May St.
Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

Ajax Greene

31 Sparkling Ridge Road , New Paltz, NY 12561

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Ajax Greene
31 Sparkling Ridge Road
New Paltz, NY 12561

Marilyn Williams

4696 Lower River Rd , Lewiston, NY 14092

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Lewiston, NY 14092

Michael Harris

220-55 46th ave , Bayside, NY 11361

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Bayside, NY 11361

Beatrice Williams-Rude

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311 W 24th Street
Apt. 18C
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Brian Coffey

7515 35th Avenue , Jackson Heights, NY 11372

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Sincerely,
Brian Coffey
7515 35th Avenue
Jackson Heights, NY 11372

Robert Brassell, Jr., N.P.

Post Office Box 131 , Greenlawn, NY 11740-0131

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Post Office Box 131
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Russ Kane

10 Stewart Place Apt 6ew, White Plains, NY 10603

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Sincerely,
Russ Kane
10 Stewart Place
Apt 6ew
White Plains, NY 10603

Alison Binkowski

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Alison Binkowski
30 5th Ave apt 10E
New York, NY 10011

Adam Nadler

220 West 98 Street , New York, NY 10025

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Christopher Walsh
750 Driggs Ave
#35
Brooklyn, NY 11211-

Joshua Wallman

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John Sturman
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Andrew Johnson

1 River Place, #321 , New York, NY 10036

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Sincerely,
Judith Stone
568 Manhattan Ave
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Lynn Walker

P O Box 280208 , Brooklyn, NY 11228-0208

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Sincerely,
Lynn Walker
P O Box 280208
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Ashley Josleyn French

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Sincerely,
Ashley Josleyn French
228 Greene Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11238

John Clare

126 West 75th Street , New York, NY 10023

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Patricia A. Chernoff

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Dominic Boyer
707 N Cayuga
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Ron Cocco

262 Heritage Ln , Monroe, NY 10950

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Sincerely,
Ron Cocco
262 Heritage Ln
Monroe, NY 10950

Steven Cutler

310 Riverside Drive Suite 1022, New York, NY 10025-1002

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Marsha Charney

411 West End Avenue, 12A 12A, New York, NY 10024-1002

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Marsha Charney
411 West End Avenue, 12A
12A
New York, NY 10024-1002

Jane Greenlaw

529 W 42nd St. #4J , New York, NY 10036-

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Jane Greenlaw
529 W 42nd St. #4J
New York, NY 10036-

Barbara Hendra

140 Sterling Pl , Brooklyn, NY 11217

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Barbara Hendra
140 Sterling Pl
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Susan Shurtleff

4 Pine Knoll Ct , Chestnut Ridge, NY 10952

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4 Pine Knoll Ct
Chestnut Ridge, NY 10952

Cynthia Ann Badgley

113 Greenlawn Road , Huntington, NY 11743

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Debbi Spiegel

404 Court North Drive , Melville, NY 11747-

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Sincerely,
Susan Brienza Gordon
2 Autumn Lane
Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

William Folsom

243 Schoon Hill Road , Kerhonkson, NY 12446

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Sincerely,
Eric Desley
58 Jane Street
Hartsdale, NY 10530

Susan Freel

37 King Street Suite 5C, New York, NY 10014

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956 Bellevue Ave. , Syracuse, NY 13204-3914

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Sincerely,
Sandra Anne Walker
956 Bellevue Ave.
Syracuse, NY 13204-3914

Heather OMara

8603 102nd Street Apt. 2G, Richmond Hill, NY 11418-

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rachel kaplan

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Rochester, NY 14609

Peter Trachtenberg

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Marge Weinstein

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Russell Tanenbaum

455 FDR Drive b1204, New York, NY 10002

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455 FDR Drive
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New York, NY 10002

Robert Unger

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261 Seaman Avenue
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Debra Villa

10-11 50th Avenue , Long Island City, NY 11101

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205-A Garrett Rd , Windsor, NY 13865-1606

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